

Governor Donnell Asks For Wartime Emergency Powers

Recommends That Eighteen Suggestions Be Made Laws By New Legislature

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Gov. Forrest C. Donnell asked Missouri's war-time legislature today for broad emergency powers including the right to suspend war-hampering state laws for the duration.

If all his 18 emergency recommendations become law Donnell probably will have more direct control over the state government than any chief executive since the Civil war.

The governor devoted much of his bulky, 35-page message to war legislation. For the other part he renewed many of his inaugural recommendations which were ignored by the legislature two years ago.

But embodied in the quiet pages of his civil recommendations were some suggestions destined to become the hot irons of the session—among them a non-political merit system for state job-holders, re-districting legislative districts and creation of a revenue department to handle state tax collections.

Among the war emergency acts he recommended were:

1. A 35-mile speed limit.
2. The power to suspend by proclamation any state law that may materially "hinder, impede, delay or interfere with the proper conduct of the war."
3. Power to order blackouts, radio silences or anything that "will suppress any activity which may assist an enemy."
4. The right to declare martial law when, in his opinion, "the circumstances existing or anticipated shall so warrant."
5. Power to swear in civilian guards for emergency duty.

Only Essentials Important

"Today it is urgently advisable," Donnell said, "that every construction project, state, county or municipal, be stopped unless such project is immediately essential to the prosecution of the war. x x x

"Notwithstanding the orderly processes of our state government, the war brings to it problems of great moment."

He asked the assembly to make more flexible several state laws so they can be adapted to wartime conditions. Specifically he spoke of the state's rigid weight limits on buses and trucks, a regulation which has hampered the flow of war-needed supplies across Missouri.

He recommended that the legislature make it possible to suspend the annual state fair at Sedalia for the war's duration. The present law specifies that the fair be a yearly affair. He urged housing and sanitation authorities to help areas over-populated by war plant workers.

Suggests Substitutes

He suggested a law making it (Please turn to page 4 column 3)

Two Deaths From Christmas Tree Fire

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—(AP)—William G. Porter, secretary-treasurer of an investment company and his 5-year-old daughter, Donnie Mae, died in a hospital today a few hours after a burning Christmas tree set fire to their home.

Porter, 48, was burned in the rescue of his daughter asleep in an upstairs room.

Police said they were told Porter plugged in the electric lights on the Christmas tree, which burst into flame and ignited draperies and nearby furnishings.

Mrs. Porter and two other daughters were burned on their arms and faces. The condition of one daughter is critical.

Increase In Postal Receipts

The receipts for the Sedalia post office, a first class post office, for the year 1942, were \$155,056.35, a 22 per cent increase over 1941, according to Edward P. Mullaney, postmaster. The amount of \$345,225.52 was issued in money orders, and \$795,719.00 paid out of the office. The number of orders issued were 39,426, and the number paid on were 90,549.

The cancellation machine shows there were 3,201,000 letters cancelled to leave the office, an increase of 200,000 over last year.

Senate GOP Leader



Senator George H. Miller, of Sedalia, chosen Republican floor leader of the new Senate which convenes in Jefferson City today.

Major Control Of The Senate To Democrats

Harris, Lieutenant-Governor Can Cast Tie-Breaking Vote

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Missouri's historic 62nd general assembly opened today on a course surface-smooth but fraught with undercurrents of taxes, politics and war.

Secretary of State Dwight Brown called to order a house of representatives that found itself under Republican control for the first time in 14 years.

An unprecedented two-party tie kept the senate in a political snarl right to the minute of the opening gavel at 12:05 p. m.

But the Democrats—bolstered by a deadlock-breaking vote held by Lieutenant Governor Frank G. Harris—determined to go ahead and organize the chamber, taking for themselves the choice of officerships and committees.

The Democratic determination to organize marked the breaking up of a 24-hour attempt at compromises between leaders of the two parties. The Democrats elected Sen. Frank Briggs (D) Macon as the senate's president pro tem without the help of Harris today, since the newly elected Republican senator, Roy Miller of Columbia, has not yet taken office.

Harris Opens Senate
Lieutenant Governor Harris—upon whose shoulders will rest session-long power to break tie votes for the Democrats—dropped the gavel to open the senate. The small and quiet gallery crowd included L. N. Searcy of Eminence, Democratic floor leader last session who was defeated for reelection in November.

In contrast to the quiet, solemn senate atmosphere, the house flourished with the festive mood of the Republicans. A huge floral horseshoe adorned the speaker's chair which will be occupied by Howard Elliott, portly young St. Louis countryman who was Republican minority leader two years ago.

Once it gets its party politics straightened out the new legislature will find itself confronted with war and financial problems far more serious.

It will be the costliest general assembly in Missouri's history. It could be one of the longest.

But before the assembly could turn to legislation it had to settle a political tug of war which resulted from a 17-to-17 tie in the senate—the first in state's history.

Hours before the noon-time gavel sent the legislature on its way, senate Democrats and Republicans conferred behind closed doors.

Change Name At Camp Crowder
CAMP CROWDER, Mo., Jan. 6.—(AP)—The name of the big signal corps training center here has been changed from Midwestern to Central Signal Corps Training center.

The center, under command of Major General Walter E. Prosser, includes the Signal Corps school, the Signal Corps Replacement Training center, and the Signal Corps Unit Training center.

GSO Girls Meet At USO Center At 7 O'Clock Thursday Night
All girls of the GSO who plan to attend the informal dance at the Army Air Field Friday night are asked to be at the USO Center at 7 o'clock that evening. The convoy will begin to "load up" at 7:15, and the drivers hope to be on their way to the base at 7:30 o'clock.

Lieutenant-Governor Has Power To Cast Tie-Breaking Vote

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Lieut. Gov. Frank G. Harris can cast a tie-breaking Senate vote on anything except passage of legislation, Attorney General Roy McKitt-trick ruled today.

The opinion, if followed, would assure the Democrats of political control of the new Senate despite a 17-to-17 tie between the two parties. Harris is a Democrat and could break a deadlock on any political issue.

Democrats Again Control House Votes

Sam Rayburn Elected Speaker By Slim Margin

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Speaker Rayburn told a cheering house today that when victory at war is won "this time there must be no stopping until the vandalism and paganism of Berlin, Rome and Tokyo are wiped from the face of the world."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—By the slimmest margin in a decade, Democrats kept control of the house and returned Sam Rayburn, of Texas, to the speakership today in organizing the 78th congress for President Roosevelt's report tomorrow on a year of war and the way to victory.

Rayburn defeated Rep. Joseph Martin (R-Mass.), who, as a result of the outcome, automatically became the minority leader. Rep. McCormack, and other Bay state lawmakers, were renamed Democratic floor leader at a party caucus yesterday.

The vote for speaker was: Rayburn 217; Martin 206, on strict party lines.

Martin had been nominated by Rep. Woodruff of Michigan and Rayburn by Rep. Sheppard of California.

Galleries were jammed to capacity in both the senate and house, with long waiting lines at the doors.

Thirty Minute Session
The senate's first session lasted exactly 30 minutes, with 89 members present. It was largely devoted to the swearing in of new and re-elected members. The first business was the presentation by Senator Connally (D-Texas) of the credentials of Senator O'Daniel (D-Texas). First senators sworn in were Bailey (D-N.C.), Ball (R-Minn.), Bankhead (D-Ala.) and Bridges (R-N.H.).

With a larger membership, and more routine to be followed, the house could not complete its first-day doings so quickly.

Even before the election of the speaker there was the ritual of

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No Pleasure Driving In East

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration today outlawed all pleasure driving by holders of "A," "B" and "C" gasoline ration cards on the Atlantic seaboard and prescribed the cancellation of gasoline ration cards as the penalty for failure to comply.

The order is effective as of noon, Eastern War Time, tomorrow, January 7.

The aid of all state, county and municipal law enforcement agencies in the 17 eastern states and District of Columbia is being asked to help the federal government in preventing pleasure driving by reporting violations to local ration boards or local OPA offices.

"The presence of passenger cars at any gathering for purposes of sport or amusement will be taken as prima facie evidence that gasoline rations and tires are being dissipated needlessly and illegally," OPA said. "The ban on pleasure driving will also apply to driving to purely social engagements."

Simultaneously, OPA declared fuel oil heating rationing of all buildings except those used for residential purposes in the east would be "cut substantially within the next 24 hours." No details were given.

The drastic prohibition on pleasure motoring was reinforced by an OPA warning that "even more serious measures" are being prepared to be ready for immediate use "if the current situation gets worse."

Censorship Causes Strike
NEW DELHI, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Nearly 100 Indian daily and weekly newspapers went on a one-day strike today in protest against censorship of incidents growing out of disturbances last August, the all India newspaper editors conference said.

City Manager Fatally Shot
ROSEWELL, N. M., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Clyde Fulton, 57, city manager of Rosewell since 1921, was found shot to death in his office last night. Sheriff Pat O'Neill said the wound was self-inflicted.

Nazis Fire On Their Own Wounded Soldiers



Germans fired on their own wounded who were prisoners in this Red Cross ambulance in Tunisia. Although Red Cross on the side of car was clearly visible, the ambulance was strafed by Ju88 plane. The driver was killed and a wounded German prisoner hit. Maj. William Yarborough, of Seattle, Wash., liaison officer to the French with U. S. forces, stands right with rifle as German prisoners remove comrade from the ambulance whose driver, dead, lies by the doors he tried to open when attack came. (NEA TELEPHOTO).

Injury To C. E. Ilgenfritz Proves Fatal

One Of Sedalia's Oldest Residents Dies In Hospital

Clarence Edmund Ilgenfritz, aged 89 years, one of Sedalia's best known citizens and extensive property owners, passed away at the Bothwell hospital about 4:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon death being due complications following a fall at his home, 615 West Broadway, on Sunday, December 20. The fall was on an icy pavement and came when his pet dog jumped at him in greeting as he stepped outdoors at his home. His left hip was fractured.

Mr. Ilgenfritz was born in Dalton, Ohio, March 19, 1853 the son of William F. and Malinda Ilgenfritz, being one of five sons born to that couple, two others of whom, now deceased, for many years were engaged in the hardware business here, they being William D. and Lynn Ilgenfritz.

Mr. Ilgenfritz came to Missouri shortly after the civil war and received his advanced education in the University of Missouri and Washington University in St. Louis.

His first business venture was in association with the Simmons Hardware Company at St. Louis, and later he engaged in the hardware business at Leadville, Colo., where he spent several years.

Extensive Property Owner
Disposing of interests there he came to Sedalia and through profitable investments acquired a considerable amount of valuable property including what is designated the Ilgenfritz block on South

Ohio avenue occupied by stores and professional offices, and various town lots in choice locations.

He was likewise owner of one of Sedalia's most pretentious homes in which he resided up to the time of his injury.

Mr. Ilgenfritz for many years had owned and operated a large farm north of Sedalia on the Grand avenue road which he looked after more as a hobby than anything else, but gave it his personal attention and kept it in the

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DAR Chooses Girl Citizen

Dorothea Robertson, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson, 1610 South Carr avenue, has been chosen by the faculty and students as the candidate from Smith-Cotton high school for the Good Citizenship pilgrimage sponsored by the Missouri State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Miss Robertson represents the Osage chapter of the D.A.R. and will be presented an annual award. Mrs. Elza Berry is regent of the chapter.

The Sedalia girl will take an examination in competition with winners throughout the state to determine who will be the representative to make the pilgrimage which will be in Cincinnati instead of Washington, D. C., this year, because of the war.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. N. H. Anthony, 1413 West Eleventh street, admitted for surgery.

Fred Hendricks, 207 East Fifth street, Mrs. J. W. Walker, Houstonia, Mrs. Sarah Deevan, Smith-ton, J. E. Jaegels 508 East Fifth street and Mrs. John Witcher, Route 3, all admitted for medical treatment.

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They Thought He Was Kidding, But He Really Was Serious

COFFEYVILLE, Kas. — The private said he wanted to speak to Field Director Dwa in Daughton. "Name, please?" asked the Red Cross secretary. "Red Cross." "Yes, it is—but I must have your name." "Well, it's really James A. Cross, but back in Buffalo, the guys all call me Red."

Six Die In Chicago Fire

Bowling Alley Blaze Drives 200 Into Street

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Six persons were killed and more than 100 injured in a fire and explosion in a bowling alley on the far south side shortly before last midnight. Many of the 200 patrons who escaped to the street were blown through doors by the force of the blast.

The sixth body, that of Joseph R. Bingham, 41, was recovered from the ruins today more than eight hours after the blaze started. Fire Marshal Anthony Mullaney estimated the damage at \$150,000.

One of the bodies was identified as William Gutrich, 19, son of a policeman who had been reported missing. Ferdinand Gutrich, the policeman father, was assigned to the Gresham Police Station. The fire was at 9354 South Ashland avenue, in the Gresham district.

The other dead were identified as Thomas Podzimek, 30; Carl Peter Deddo, 23; Anthony Erris, 29; and Phillip Gardner, about 50.

In the Little Company of Mary hospital where 35 victims were taken for treatment, 27 were held all night with at least seven reported in a critical condition.

The fire burned for several hours and damage was estimated by Fire Marshal Anthony Mullaney at \$150,000.

Scores of injured, most of them with burns on the face, neck and hands, were treated at nearby first aid stations.

Huddled In Washroom
The five bodies were found huddled in the wreckage of a washroom. Marshal Mullaney (Please turn to page 4 column 5)

Negroes Called To Service

Fifteen Negroes will leave Sedalia the morning of January 16 for Fort Leavenworth, Kas., to undergo an examination for induction into the United States Army.

The group leaving is as follows: Sterling Ardell Harker, 321—707 West Pettis.

Edward S. Washington, 735—1128 Highland avenue, Alton, Ill. Virgil Lloyd Kitchen, 1056—220 West Cooper.

Ernest Mayo William Hinkle, 843—317 North Osage. James Charles Moten, 1263—418 North Montauk.

Jesse Robert Bell, 1374—4712 Wabash avenue, Chicago, Ill. Everett Eugene Buckner, 2641—412 North Lamine.

David Livingston Bridgewater, 2663—403 West Clay. John Allen Waters, 3363—El-pora hotel, St. Louis, Mo.

Louis Hannibal Brown, 3057-A—111 East Pettis. Finis Alexander Green, Jr., 12047—206 East Cooper.

Billy Byrd Jefferson, 12057—117 East Jefferson. Charles Henry Shobe, 12074—221 East Pettis.

George William Brown, 12095—709 North Washington. Warren Herman Robinson, 12114—405 North Mill.

Considering Sedalia As Training Site

Facilities Seem To Meet Requirements.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Various Missouri cities were under consideration today as training sites for the two St. Louis baseball clubs, but both indicated their spring camps would be located in the southern part of the state, if possible.

Excelsior springs has extended invitations to the teams, but Sam Breadon, president of the world champion Cardinals, commented, "That's pretty far north," and Donald L. Barnes, president of the Browns, said, "I don't think we'll train there."

Sedalia also has invited the teams and its facilities seemed to meet the requirements of the Browns as stated by Barnes. "We must have a baseball field, obviously," he said. "We also want indoor training facilities, because we are sure to have days when the weather will prevent us from working outdoors. Also there must be satisfactory hotel accommodations."

Southern Sites

Among the apparent possibilities farther south in the state were Springfield, Joplin and Cape Girardeau. Springfield and Joplin have ballparks used by minor league clubs and Springfield and Cape Girardeau have the indoor facilities of state teachers' colleges.

Breadon indicated the Cardinals would "go off somewhere by ourselves." But Barnes was agreeable to the idea of company. He said, "If we can find a place which will accommodate two ball clubs, we'll be glad to have the Cardinals, if they care to accompany us."

The Browns plan to start their training about March 20. From what Barnes and Breadon said, it was likely the two teams would return to St. Louis a week earlier than usual and play a 7-game spring series. In recent years they've played only two games here just before the opening of the major league season.

Gas Rationing Being Checked

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Compliance with gasoline rationing regulations is being checked by inspectors from the Office of Price Administration of eastern Missouri, Director Russell E. Gardner, Jr., said today.

Possible violations range from absence of stickers from car windshields to purchases of gasoline without giving up proper coupons to service station dealers, he explained.

He did not divulge the nature of complaints to his office that prompted the inquiry.

Evidence of violations will be given to the United States district attorney's office, he said. Punishment can be revocation of coupon books or as much as a \$10,000 fine and 10 years imprisonment.

Minister Dies Of Burns

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Injuries received in a highway collision last Saturday caused the death today of the Rev. Charles A. Rodgers, 33-year-old Baptist minister of Naylor, Mo. He was brought to a hospital here following the accident and doctors said death was due to skull fracture.

Dies Of Burns

POPULAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 6.—(AP)—Mrs. Ina Dunnegan, 27, wife of Eugene Dunnegan, a farmer, died today of burns received yesterday when she poured kerosene on a heating stove fire.

Drive Enemy From Strategic Hills In Northern Tunisia

The War News

Streamlined

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA. Jan. 6.—(AP)—Allied forces have captured Djebel Azzag and other points in the vicinity as part of attacks in which British troops have driven the enemy from strategic hills 15 miles west of Mateur, allied headquarters announced today.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The admiralty announced today that a large enemy troop transport and a supply ship had been destroyed and that two other ships had been hit and probably sunk by British submarines in the Mediterranean.

CAIRO, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Heavy bombers of the United States Army's Ninth Air Force pounded the eastern Tunisian harbor of Sousse again yesterday in a daylight attack without the loss of a plane, an American communique announced today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—The navy reports today that a United States task force of surface units had "successfully bombarded" the Japanese airfield at Munda, New Georgia island in the Solomons.

NEW DELHI, Jan. 6.—(AP)—United States and Royal Air Force flying crews are crippling some river and rail transport facilities used to transport Japanese troops and supplies in Burma, communique reported today.

CHUNGKING, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Chinese forces killed 500 Japanese soldiers in street fighting at Lihuang, western Anhwei province, and beat back the enemy in other scattered action during the past four days, tonight's Chinese communique reported.

Sedalia WAAC In Motor Corps

Miss Mildred B. Starr, 1306 East Boonville, on December 31, completed a Motor Operator's course at Fort Des Moines, Iowa, as a member of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps. Miss Starr is the daughter of Mrs. M. Starr, of the east Boonville address. Prior to her entry in the WAAC's she was a teacher in the Elvins, Mo., high school, where she took up her duties in September of the past year.

She attended the Smith-Cotton high school from which she graduated in 1933, after which she attended the Central Missouri State Teachers College at Warrensburg. Later she was a principal in a Clarksville school, taught in high school at Appleton City, took a course in a bomber school, and worked as an inspector in the Lake City Ordnance Plant last summer.

Miss Starr indicated to her mother that she would be transferred from Fort Des Moines, but did not know she she would be sent.

She is one of several young women who have enlisted in the WAAC's and WAVES.

M. K. T. Railroad Switchman Killed

PARSONS, Kas., Jan. 6.—(AP)—J. F. McMillen, 42, Missouri-Kansas-Texas railroad switchman, was killed last night in an accident in the railroad yards. He fell from a caboose and four cars passed over his body. McMillen came here three months ago from Nevada and formerly lived in Coffeyville. He is survived by his widow.

The Weather

MISSOURI — Snow or sleet today and tonight, changing to rain south by late afternoon or early tonight; slightly colder northwest today, warmer extreme southeast tonight; winds reaching 25-30 miles per hour west and north today.

Sunrise 8:33 a. m. Sunset 6:05 p. m.

New moon January 6; first quarter January 13.

Lake of the Ozarks—full reservoir.

Temperature: 7 a. m., 32 degrees; 2 p. m., 38 degrees.

Flying Fortresses Score Successful Hits On Harbor, Fire Power Station

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA. Jan. 6.—(AP)—British troops, attacking 15 miles west of Mateur, have driven the enemy from strategic hills and are now mopping up in the first activity on the northern Tunisian front in some time, and official spokesman announced today.

Mateur is 20 miles southwest of the Tunisian naval base of Bizerte.

The attack was supported by RAF Hurricane bombers and fighters, and an RAF spokesman announced that during yesterday four Nazi Focke-Wulf 190 fighters and one Ju-87 dive-bomber were shot down for the loss of one British plane.

Flying fortresses—U. S. four-motored B-17 bombers—raiding the enemy port of Sfax were said to have scored hits on or near a cruiser leaving the harbor and to have left the power station in flames. American medium B-26 Marauder bombers also attacked a Nazi airdrome at Kairouan, about 36 miles southwest of the east coast port of Sousse.

(United States and British communique in Cairo disclosed that Sousse itself also was hit. An American communique said U. S. heavy bombers made the raid and unloaded all their bombs "with-in the target." The British, apparently referring to the same attacks, said hits were scored on docks and buildings.

No Report From Rommel

(There still was nothing to report from the pursuit of Marshal Rommel in Libya and the communique said there were no important air operations yesterday on the Libyan front.)

Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark, the tall, 46-year-old American officer who made a daring landing on the hostile shore of North Africa from a submarine for a secret meeting with French officers before the allied occupation, has been placed in command of the newly activated U. S. fifth army, now preparing with its British and French allies to drive Axis forces from Tunisia.

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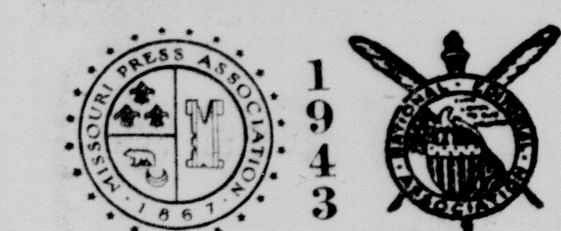
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The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON
(Major Robert S. Allen on active duty)

WASHINGTON — The 78th Congress, now opening, will live up to all advance notices for curtailing the government's non-war spending. But despite talk about a coalition of Republicans and conservative Democrats, don't look for any serious tampering with New Deal economic reforms.

With a presidential election coming up in 1944, the Republican leadership in both Houses will take no chances of antagonizing labor by supporting efforts of anti-New Deal Democrats to repeal the Wagner Labor Relations Act and the 40-hour week. Both of these laws will remain on the books.

Here's a roundup legislative preview of the new session:
LABOR—The only legislation affecting organized labor with a good chance of being enacted will be a bill outlawing racketeering in labor unions, and requiring international unions to register with the government and publicly report their finances.

FARM—The farm bloc will have the upper hand in both Houses, is almost certain to force through legislation further increasing parity price ceilings on farm products. Such a step will open the door to runaway inflation, but farm bloc leaders are confident they have the votes to put it over anyway.

Agricultural spokesmen already are busy behind the scenes trying to negotiate a logroll, whereby they will withdraw their opposition to the 40-hour week if laborites reciprocate on the proposal for higher parity ceilings.

TAXES — Despite Senate agitation for a national sales tax, Congress will not accept it. However, don't be surprised if the House Ways and Means committee works out a new pay-as-you-go formula for income taxation, probably calling for monthly payments.

ECONOMY—Wholesale slashes will be voted in the budgets of all government departments except War, Navy, State and, possibly, the Treasury.

INVESTIGATIONS—The committees on executive expenditures in both houses, which have been inactive for several years, will come to life with a bang. One agency whose spending activities will receive a thorough going-over is the Federal Works Agency.

For the first time, Rep. Martin Dies will run into serious opposition over the continuance of his un-Americanism investigating committee.

Capital Chaff

About 250 to 300 marines were AWOL just before a recent marine corps division left for the Solomons. Turning up at camp just after it was too late to sail, there were too many to look up in the brig and a lot slept outside under guard. . . . So far the penalty for desertion has not been heavy until the third offense. . . . Representative Wilburn Cartwright of Oklahoma grabbed off the honors when retiring House members were being toasted on the day Congress adjourned. . . . No less than 17 colleagues, including five Republicans, delivered speeches paying tribute to the popular Oklahoma man. . . . Asked for comment on threats by isolationist Senator Burt Wheeler of Montana and Rep. Clare Hoffman of Michigan to "investigate" him, William Maloney, the Justice Department's ace sleuth of subversive activities, replied: "I have no fears so long as the hearings are open to the public."

End of The Tank

Army ordnance experts now foresee the time when the tank, which made France fall, will be

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outmoded and discarded as a useful weapon. In fact, they say the tank will be discarded for large-scale combat before this war is over.

Death of the tank is the anti-tank gun. If you can mount a large enough gun—and give it sufficient mobility—you can blow up the enemy's tanks and cripple his mechanized forces completely.

This is just what happened to Rommel in his recent African debacle. He had previously enjoyed superiority in anti-tank weapons. While the British were still using a 75 mm. gun Rommel (the desert fox) brought into action an 88 mm. gun, and to conceal it from the British until they were on top of it, buried the guns in the sand.

This was what caused the rout of the British forces last June. But now the British have stepped up the calibre. They have an American-made 105 mm. gun, mounted on a tank chassis, and it was this weapon, known as a tank destroyer, which outshot the German 88's and crippled the German tanks in the most recent battle of Egypt.

Thus the tank has met its Nemesis in the form of a tank destroyer. The only defense against the destroyer is to load on more armor—but the more armor, the less mobility.

Ordnance experts see the next

step as a step into the sky. In other words, the next tank will be an airplane. It will be a heavily armored plane, protected by fighter escort, and moving at low altitudes to do from the air the same sort of destruction which the tank has been able to do from the ground.

Meanwhile, the tank is still operating in Russia. But experts here are awaiting the time when the tank destroyer (105 mm. gun) appears on the Russian side, to blast German tanks out of action. It is merely a matter of shipping.

Donovan's Machine Gun
There was a buzz of excitement when a man who said he represented Col. William Donovan, chief of the Office of Strategic Services, showed up at the Treasury Department's Procurement Division, demanding a machine gun.

The Procurement Division has a bristling armory of revolvers, sawed-off shotguns and other weapons which have been confiscated under the "illegal possession" clause of the National Firearms Act. As it happened, there was one Thompson sub-machine gun in the collection.

"That will do," said the man. However, he stubbornly refused to reveal what the gun was to be used for, on the ground that this was military information.

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

The body of Cpl. Thomas P. Hoy, who died Tuesday morning, has been removed from McLaughlin's undertaking rooms to the criminal court room at the court house, where it will lie in state until 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon when the Rev. W. T. Allan, pastor of Calvary Episcopal church, will conduct the funeral services. The pall bearers will be selected from the local camp of Confederates, the Sedalia Lodge of Elks and the Pettis County Bar association. A memorial written by John Montgomery and W. D. Steele was adopted at a meeting of the bar association. Eulogies at the bier are to be given by Hons. Louis Hoffman, Charles E. Yeater and W. S. Shirk.

Frank Eberhart and Frank Hugelmann, of the California Woolen Mills Co., were in the city last night on their way home from Boonville. The company is one of the best known and successful in the west. The managers are looking for a new location where they can enlarge their plant and give employment to 150 people. If Sedalia cares to submit a proposition now is the time to do it.

D. H. Smith has the wood trust by the throat. He has had the tops of the maple trees in front of his Broadway residence sawed off, and consequently has several cords of good stove wood to burn.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 7—The forty-second General Assembly convened at 12 o'clock today. The senate was called to order by its presiding officer, Lieutenant-Governor Lee. Among the temporary officers appointed by Lee was D. F. Thompson, of Versailles, as secretary.

"Col. Donovan needs it right away," he kept insisting. Procurement officials finally agreed to turn over the "Tommy" gun if they had a letter from Donovan authorizing the transfer. The OSS representative departed with a grunt, but returned the next morning, bearing a letter from Donovan, and received the weapon.

However, the Procurement Division still would like to know what Col. "Wild Bill" Donovan, famous for his military exploits in the last war, wants with a sub-machine gun in his capacity as boss of the government's busiest, and most secretive, war intelligence unit.

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Mac Arthur's Bombers Sink Or Set Afire Nine Vessels

By C. YATES McDANIEL

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Wednesday, Jan. 6.—(AP)—General Douglas MacArthur's heavy bombers roared down upon a formidable Japanese naval concentration yesterday (Tuesday) at Rabaul New Britain island, sinking or setting fire at least nine and probably 10 vessels, totalling more than 50,000 tons.

Flying over the hub of the enemy's seapower in the southwest Pacific area, between 12 and 15 zeros which at noon, Flying Fortresses and Liberators scored direct hits with 1,000 pound bombs on eight Japanese merchantmen and supply vessels and another 1,000 pounder crashed into a destroyer tender, alongside which a destroyer was tied.

The Liberators downed three of between 12 and 15 zeros which attempted to intercept and the fortresses knocked down a similar number of between eight and 10 enemy fighters.

(The news of this big raid coincided with press reports from Melbourne quoting a high government official as warning that the Japs were concentrating one of the largest armadas of transports,

supply vessels and warships yet sent into the southwest Pacific under cover of adverse weather).

Only one of the heavy American bombers which participated in this sixth raid on Rabaul within the past 10 days by MacArthur's airmen failed to weather the medium level attack, made in the face of a heavy anti-aircraft fire screen thrown up by the Japanese ships.

In widespread air activity over the southwest Pacific area, Australian Beaufighters were credited with destroying one enemy fighter and trucks in a strafing attack on the Fuliore airfield on Portuguese Timor.

In New Guinea, one B-24 bombed the often pounded airfield at Lae while other Allied planes bombed and strafed Salamaua and adjacent villages as well as Madang, recently developed Jap base on the New Guinea coast northwest of Salamaua.

Woman Named On PSC By Donnell

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 6.—(AP)—

Gov. Forrest C. Donnell Tuesday appointed Miss Agnes Mae Wilson, Trenton Republican, a member of the Public Service Commission—the first woman to serve on the state tribunal which regulates public utilities.

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Frantic Festival

By Edmund Fancott

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PURSUIT

CHAPTER XIII

THEN the presents were all gone except two for Fay and Ross. But those two were still missing and everyone split up to open the parcels. They scattered paper anew over the room, squeals of excitement filled the place and there was a flurry of action as they all crowded round to see what everyone else had got and spread over the floor to put their gifts into operation.

Myra and Ferdy's aunt retired to the kitchen to prepare the tea for the boys and Ferdy joined them for a complete explanation of the mystery.

Benny took the two detectives aside and he watched them count the diamonds. Their hard exterior melted and he found them more conversational. He offered to drive them down to their car but pressed them to stay a little longer, or to stay the night, as he knew there were two rooms available now which would suit them beautifully.

He said he knew there was something wrong when Beano was so anxious to come to Canada. He had felt it but Beano was a man of few words and he had taken it for granted that Beano just wanted to come up for a holiday so he had fixed an engagement for him up in Montreal, just for old times sake.

Then he was off to the kitchen. He cornered Myra who pushed him this way and that while she helped with the mass of food to feed the boys.

"That was a slick job you pulled off," he said. "I always knew you had brains. Mind if I take one of them cookies? Thanks, I'll take a couple to save coming back. Give me a girl with brains and you can keep them fancy lookers, keep 'em and sell 'em two for five for all I care. Give me someone I can look at without thinking I'm looking at a movie magazine. Them faces make me sick."

"You'll be sick if you eat any more of those things," said Myra. "I can take it," said Benny non-stop. "I can take anything, except

a ride by them guys out there. Say, Myra, what about coming back with me? I could use a girl like you. You got to be smart in my business or the other guys get you every time. You and me, there's dough in it if you know the tricks and I know 'em all. I do the talking, you do the work and we'll make a pile."

"Say," said Myra, forcing a pause in his flow of words. "I've got a job, a good job, a nice comfortable job."

"So what? You leave it and you're a boss like me, working for yourself, like me. We'll have the ceremony at the Cathedral with everybody in show business there. We'll make the tabloids and the rotogravure, and you'll be famous in a night, just like any of 'em. They'll all give a plug to Benny. How about it, sister?"

Myra paused with a plate in mid-air.

"Say, what's this about a ceremony?"

"Church, choirboys, and everything, till life do us part. . . ."

"Let me get this straight," said Myra. "Is this a proposal?"

"What do you think it is?" said Benny, offended.

MYRA swayed, put down the plate of cookies in Benny's hands and passed her hands across her brow. "To think it happened to me. Wait till Danny, my old man, hears about this. He'll laugh his head off."

"What do you mean, he'll laugh his head off?"

They dashed down through the snow and came out on the drive just as the sleigh, with Beano frantically whipping the horses to greater speed, flashed by. Beano, tumbled in the back, was still trying to save herself from being hurled off the sleigh with all the rugs on top of her.

"He's gone mad and he'll kill her," gasped Fay.

"Come on," cried Ross. Without questioning him she ran after him down the road toward the farm. He dashed into the barn and when Fay caught up with him he was doing something quickly under the hood of a farm tractor.

"Fixing her for speed," he yelled. "Grab a horse blanket if you can find one."

She dashed into the barn, scrambled round and found an old blanket that smelled horse and ran back with it.

By this time Ross had the tractor out, the engine revving to a tank-like roar.

"All aboard for the armored corps," he cried. "Wrap the blanket around you and jump up behind and hang on like glue because we're going places."

The tractor growl hotter, the engine smoked, snow melted and fizzled in steam from the hood, its roar cut through the snowy stillness. Ross took a short cut across a ski trail he knew and the tractor climbed and bumped and dipped and swayed but Ross clung to the wheel and Fay clung to Ross.

Like a tank pursuing a retreating enemy, the tractor charged forward under the expert guidance of Ross Benson. It bounced and careened and jumped and tossed about. In no time Fay was breathless, too frightened and too ill to let a single scream escape her lips.

Never had the Laurentians been the scene of so wild a chase. The air rang out with the tumultuous din of the charging tractor. Beano's steed was in full flight, testing every lesson Ross had learned about maneuvering mechanized monsters.

Polar Bear Cubs

SEATTLE — J. D. Coombs was surprised to see two nudists of opposite sex cavorting in a goldfish pond in a back yard sheltered from wintry gusts.

Suddenly, the feminine nudist, startled, donned kimono and raced away with the other bather's towel—his only apparel. She appeared to be every bit of 4, he all of 5.

When Coombs last saw them the boy was pursuing his towel.

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Red army troops, bundled against knife-sharp winter air, shovel the way clear for their comrades to advance in the Northern Caucasus. Driving northward from captured Elkhotevo, the Russians threaten to split the back-tracking Germans. (NEA TELEPHOTO).

Upset In The Special Election

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6—(P)—The upset victory of a Republican in Monday's special election in the 10th Senatorial district was attributed by most observers to a continuation of the Republican trend started last November and failure of the Democrats to get out anything like the vote they have produced in the past.

On the basis of unofficial returns from all but three small rural precincts in Boone county, Roy D. Miller (R) of Columbia, defeated D. Oty Groce (D) of St. Charles by approximately 1300 votes to become the first Republican State Senator ever elected in the Democratic stronghold.

The vote from 154 of the 157 precincts in the five counties

comprising the district was: Miller 8380; Groce 7070.

The special election was called by Gov. Forrest C. Donnell to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Senator W. B. Whitlow, Fulton Democrat. He was re-elected last November, but by a smaller margin than Democrats usually enjoy, indicating a decline in Democratic strength.

With a total of 25,049 votes being cast, Whitlow defeated his Republican opponent, Walker Woodbridge of Wentzville, 13,278 votes to 11,771.

Eight Lose Lives In Mine Blast

DUCKTOWN, Tenn., Jan. 6—(P)—Eight men were killed and the lives of more than two-score others endangered Tuesday in a mid-afternoon explosion at the Tennessee Copper Company mine.

General Superintendent Lamar Weaver of the mine said a routine detonation of a normal amount of dynamite, set off at 3 P. M., caused a dust explosion which in turn interrupted the working of the air fan.

Eight bodies had been recovered within a few hours after the explosion, Weaver said, and 14 other miners, suffering from varying degrees of asphyxiation, were under treatment at Copperhill and Ducktown hospitals. The remainder of the shift of 54 men in the tenth level, where the explosion

occurred, escaped serious injury, he said, and there was no indication of further casualties.

Weaver said rescue squads were clearing the tenth level within an hour after the explosion. The air fan was restored to use to aid the squads in their work.

All the victims lived in the copper basin which embraces Ducktown, Copperhill and North Fannin county in Georgia.

Community News From

Ionia

By Mrs. Homer Howe

Miss Grace Perry of Leeton spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. G. B. Brown, Mr. Brown and Lucile.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hampton entertained at dinner on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ransdell of Cole, William Ransdell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crenshaw and sons, Eddie Lee and Robert spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graham of Pleasant Hill. Mrs. Crenshaw received a letter from their son, Don, who is serving in the U. S. Navy on Christmas day saying that he is now stationed in North Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Riecke entertained at dinner Sunday honoring Eddie Buchanan, Burl Maxwell of Windsor and their son, Max Riecke all of whom have been called into service. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Riecke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Riecke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riecke, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nolte, Mrs. Burl Maxwell and Mrs. Eddie Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedley had as dinner guests Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Davis of Windsor, Mrs. Bessie Way, Elizabeth Way and Iola Friedley of Kansas City, Sergeant Robert Wilson of Alabama, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Friedley and sons of Stover, Misses Helen and Elvira Friedley of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drake and sons, of Warsaw were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Van Wey entertained at a family dinner Sunday. Those seated with Mr. and Mrs. Van Wey were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., of Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Schnabel, Mrs. Ina Mouldin, Wilma Posson and Lorraine Van Wey.

Junior Williams visited from Sunday until Wednesday with Frederick Kreisler of Clinton.

Mrs. Edward Knoop entertained at dinner Sunday Rev. and Mrs. Brandon, Milan Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Argenbright, Mrs. M. C. Mathew and daughter, Patsy.

Miss Jean Marsh, teacher of Room 1 in the Ionia school resigned at Christmas. Mrs. O. C. Myers has been employed by the board to finish the term. Miss Marsh has employment at Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bowlin entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Renfrow and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dozier of Sedalia and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ferguson.

Anne Mahnken visited from Wednesday until Saturday with Irma Lee Kreisler of Clinton.

The Ionia Community club held the last meeting of the year at the hall Thursday evening. A pot luck supper was enjoyed by a good crowd following which the business meeting was held with the retiring president, M. C. Mathew, presiding. F. B. Brockman was elected to serve as president for the coming year. It was decided to hold meetings every two months, because of war conditions. After the business meeting a program was presented with the following taking part: Alice Brockman, Doris Jean Renfrow, Helen Mueller, Mr. Griffith, Nila Cannady, Ernest and Harold Roberts. Games were enjoyed afterward under the direction of Mrs. Friedley.

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W. C. Wining Addresses Mo. Pac. Employees

Told Of USO Activities In This City

The January meeting of the Sedalia Booster Club was held during the noon hour Tuesday at the Missouri Pacific Shops with F. G. Rose, Chief Booster, presiding.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting by J. F. Taylor, secretary, Mr. Rose gave a very interesting talk relative to the solicitation of business which is very essential now days even though the trains are filled to capacity. Mr. Rose stated the railroads were doing a wonderful job during the present war and we want to think of after the war is won. We will need business then and it is up to each employee to bear this in mind when soliciting business now.

Asked For Fire Fighters

Mr. Rose also brought up the subject of "Fire Fighters" in Sedalia. He said the Missouri Pacific shops had been asked for 50 men to become "Fire Fighters" in Sedalia. By this it was meant that these men would be given lessons in first aid, fighting fires along with the regular fire department. They will have regular hours each week to study this line of work and in case of any emergency would be ready to step in and protect the city's property. Mr. Rose urged any who felt they were ready to take up this line of work to get in touch with him.

Mr. Rose then introduced L. L. Studer, general storekeeper, who was leaving for Mexico City where he will aid in the rebuilding of the railroads of Mexico.

Mr. Studer responded with a few short remarks relative to the work he will do in Mexico in his new position. He stated he had been for 34 years associated with railroad employees both in the mechanical and supply departments. Mr. Studer said the railroads were the second line of defense of our country and they were doing the best job in its history in handling passenger and freight service.

Expresses Appreciation

Mr. Studer expressed his appreciation to all those in Sedalia shops for their cooperation during the past years and urged them all to keep up the good work they were doing and continue to be loyal to the company and to their country.

W. C. Wining, USO director in Sedalia, was introduced by Mr. Ross as the principal speaker. Mr. Wining talked on the activities of the USO in general and in Sedalia in particular. He said that people wanted to know something about the USO, such as, "What is it," "Why is it," and "What are they doing?"

Mr. Wining stated the USO was made up of the following organizations, The Young Men's Christian Association, The Young Women's Christian Association, The National Catholic Community Service, The Salvation Army, The Jewish Welfare Board and The National Travelers Aid Association. During the World War No. 1, all of these organizations were working separately among the army camps and overseas. When the Second World War started it was thought and worked out that all of these organizations might be formed into one body and work with one thing in mind.

As it has been proven during the past year this plan has become a reality and as a result there are USO centers all over America and elsewhere. They are providing places of recreation for the boys in service. Mr. Wining went on to say that any sum of money donated is sent to the head office in New York City and then is distributed throughout the various USO centers. As a result of this it is possible for the centers to be better equipped and different lines of recreation may be provided.

Told of G. S. O.

Mr. Wining also spoke about the GSO, which is the Girls Service Organization. He stated all the girls to belong to this must make out application, must be of certain age and give qualifications. These applications are gone over and passed on before a girl becomes a member. Mr. Wining gave a brief report of what the GSO is doing in Sedalia and the many things planned for the future.

Mention was made of the new quarters for the USO account of the small room at the present location. Mr. Wining stated he expected it would be about two months before getting into their new location. There will be more room, different means of enjoyment for the boys.

Mr. Wining's talk was greatly enjoyed by the large crowd as was evidenced by the loud applause at the close of his message.

Music By Buzz Sawyers

During the meeting music was furnished by the Missouri Pacific Buzz Sawyers under the direction of Palmer Nichols which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

S. O. Rentschler, superintendent of shops, closed the meeting with a talk reviewing the work of the past year and wishing all a very prosperous 1943. He stressed the need of Safety First now more than ever before. We must keep the locomotives and cars rolling. Mr. Rentschler also urged all to keep up the good work by buying War Savings Bonds. Mr. Rentsch-

ler's talk was interesting and inspiring to the men and they went back to work with vim and vigor while the Missouri Pacific Buzz Sawyers closed the meeting with a musical number.

Personals

Mr. Cora Schwalbach, San Carlos, Calif., daughter of Cornelius McHugh whose funeral was conducted Monday morning at St. Patrick's church, arrived Monday night, having missed train connections because of crowded rail transportation facilities. Mrs. Schwalbach will remain here for several weeks with her mother, Mrs. McHugh, 200 South Washington avenue.

Pvt. William Clifford left today for Camp Blanding, Fla., after a furlough spent in Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson and son, Jack, of 802 Range Line, Columbia, have returned to their home after visiting their daughter and sisters, Mrs. M. C. Hume, 1421 South Sneed avenue and Mrs. Kenneth Lower, 907 South Prospect avenue.

Pfc. Charles Fritz of Baltimore, Md., where he is stationed at the municipal airport, arrived here this morning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fritz, 415 West Sixth street. He is on a nine-day furlough. Private Fritz, who is in the army air corps, completed a photographic course at Lowry Field, Denver, Colo., and has been in Baltimore for a month.

Capt. Carl G. Schrader, United States Army Air Corps, New Orleans, La., has arrived home to spend several days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schrader, 715 West Third street.

Cpl. Walter Shipp, Jr., of Los Angeles, Calif., arrived Sunday on a week's furlough which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shipp, of 1405 West Eleventh street.

Mrs. Ray Standley, of Kansas City, Mo., arrived this morning to attend the funeral of her grandfather, George F. Conser, of 1516 South Ohio, and, while here, will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Wood, 253 East Jackson.

Master Sergeant Robert H. Atkins and Mrs. Atkins arrived today from Camp White, Medford, Ore., for a visit with Mrs. Atkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Connelly, 1220 West Fourth street, and with relatives in Warrensburg. They will be in Missouri three weeks.

Miss Lila Beard of Kansas City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Beard, 643 East Fifteenth street, left January 4 for Portsmouth, Va., where she will spend a three weeks vacation with her sister, Mrs. Clay Holman.

Sgt. Frank Sellers, Camp Carson, Colo., arrived today for a visit with his father, C. M. Sellers, Jr., and other relatives.

Mrs. Elsie Iiams and daughter Miss Gladys Iiams of Warsaw left today for Mitchell, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fahe of Warrensburg are spending the day in Sedalia.

Mrs. Clifford Neill, 1611 South Carr avenue, is spending today in Kansas City.

Miss Rose Waddell returned today to St. Louis after spending the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Lamy, 500 South Grand avenue.

Atwell L. Bohling, Jr., returned Tuesday to New Haven, Conn., where he is attending Yale university after spending the Christmas holidays with his father, A. L. Bohling, 1591 South Kentucky avenue.

Charles Mendershausen has returned to his home in Jefferson City after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Louise Mendershausen, 218 West Fifth street.

L. L. Studer, district storekeeper for the Missouri Pacific who has been "loaned" by that company to the government, left today for Mexico City, Old Mexico. Mrs. Studer will leave in about two weeks to join him.

Mrs. E. Burghart and Mrs. Frances Morey of Kansas City arrived today for a visit with their mother, Mrs. Mary Riley, 1700 East Fourth street.

Mrs. Theodore Englebrecht returned to her home in Jefferson City after spending the day in Sedalia.

Mrs. Myrtle Eveningham and little granddaughter, Ruth Irene Parker, left today for St. Louis. Mrs. Eveningham has been in Sedalia visiting her daughter Mrs. A. Parker and Captain Parker, of the Salvation Temple. Ruth Irene will also visit her other grandmother Mrs. F. J. Parker and other aunts in St. Louis. She is three years old.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stone, 316 South Park avenue, have returned home from Kansas City where on New Year's Day they met their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stone, Jr., and little daughter, Sue Ann, of Abilene, Kas.

Meeting Of Broadway Presbyterian Church Members

Members of the Broadway Presbyterian church will meet for a prayer hour, between 7:30 and 8 o'clock tonight in the church sanctuary.

License To Pacific Cafe

Roy Kirchhoffer, has been issued a liquor license for the Pacific Cafe, 202 West Main street, for a period of six months.

Armies Are Getting Ready For Battle

Weather Will Be Disagreeable For Two Months

BY GLENN BABB

The news from North Africa is likely to make demands on the American reader's patience during the next few weeks or even months. The hopes for a speedy expulsion of the axis from Africa, kindled in many breasts by the brilliant early success of the American-British landings in Morocco and Algeria and the simultaneous triumph of the British Eighth Army over Rommel, now are shown clearly to have outrun the military possibilities. Obviously we are just entering a period of preparation which requires gigantic exertions on both arms of the United Nations' great African pincers before decisive blows can be struck again.

Even were the allies ready for delivery of what they hope—with much justification—will be the coup de grace to the enemy in Africa, the weather presents obstacles that may persist until the winter is nearly spent. Wes Gallagher's able and illuminating dispatch of yesterday, summarizing his conclusions after a 2,100-mile tour of the front, discloses that rain and mud probably will immobilize the American and British tank forces in Tunisia until late February. Until then the prospective battlefields will be covered with mud that will make even the lightest tanks helpless.

Supplies Important

For perhaps two more months, then, the battle of reinforcement and supply must continue to occupy first place in the African campaigns. Time will not necessarily be on the side of the allies, for the Germans and Italians have the advantage of much shorter communications lines and there is evidence that they are making good use of this asset, despite the heavy toll taken by the British navy and the American and British air forces off the coasts of Italy, Tunisia and Libya. Gallagher reports that Hitler is sending some of his best fliers and ground fighters into Tunisia and giving every sign that he means to fight with all the resources he can spare from his commitments elsewhere, particularly in Russia, to retain a foothold in Africa. As long as he does that the dreaded allied invasion of Europe from the south probably can be postponed.

Fifth Army Active
Assurance that American preparations are proceeding steadily is contained in the announcement that the United States Fifth Army has been activated, with Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark, hero of the pre-invasion phase of the African adventure, in command. The immediate change is largely one of administrative form, for Clark, as deputy to the commander-in-chief, Lieut. Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, already exercised most of the functions of an army commander. But there is inspiration in the news that a United States army once more has taken form on foreign battlefields. An army normally can not be smaller than two corps of two divisions each, and the formation of Clark's command would indicate that a formidable American force, prepared for vigorous offensive action, is ready to take its place in the African fighting alongside the British First and Eighth Armies.

War-Time Emergency Powers Asked For By Governor Donnell
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possible to appoint substitutes for public officials who leave their jobs to go to war. Similar legislation was suggested recently by the state supreme court.

Donnell made 37 specific recommendations to the legislature. Aside from his war suggestions, he called for:

1. A merit system which would place most state jobs on a competitive examination basis. He would exempt department heads, those in policy-making jobs and their assistants.

2. A new state revenue department to take over tax collections and assessments now handled by almost a dozen agencies.

3. Redistricting the state senate and representative districts on the basis of the 1940 census. He also asked the assembly to consider a congressional redistricting.

4. Creation of a special commission to do preliminary research for the forthcoming constitutional convention. Also the right to consolidate some precincts for the voting on delegates to the convention.

5. A legislative council which would work year-round on legislation and research for the general assembly.

6. Legislation to outlaw political "jugs" for state or local campaign funds.

The governor also asked that the fiscal year's start be shifted from January to July; that the August primary date be moved to a date "more likely to contribute to a maximum vote"; bills

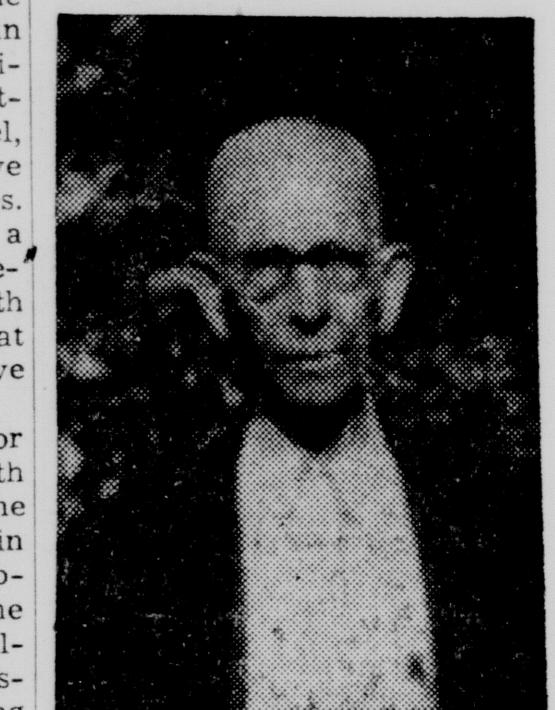
to tighten loopholes in the present income and inheritance tax laws; the right to oust delinquent sheriffs and prosecutors.

Most of his suggestions were included in his inaugural address two years ago. Some of the things he asked were recommended by former Governor Lloyd C. Stark.

Obituaries

Funeral of Geo. F. Conser

Funeral services for George F. Conser, 1516 South Ohio avenue, who passed away at his home at 11:40 o'clock Tuesday morning, will be held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating.



Geo. F. Conser

Mrs. Howard Roberts and Miss Margaret Edwards will sing, "The Old Rugged Cross," "Nearer My God to Thee," and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." Mrs. H. O. Foraker will be accompanist.

Pallbearers will be Private Robert T. Robinson, David H. Robinson, grandsons, Charles F. Maggard, Frank Bell, Henry Kroencke and Elmer E. Sterling. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Sunshine Warren

Mrs. Sunshine Warren, aged about 73, widow of the late J. P. Warren, passed away about 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening in a Kansas City hospital, death being due to double pneumonia after she had been a hospital patient since Monday.

Mrs. Warren for many years resided in Sedalia her last residence here being on South Massachusetts avenue.

At Kansas City she had been with her only surviving daughter, Mrs. Lillian Gaugh, of 2121 Linwood boulevard, who is also a hospital patient.

The body will be brought to Sedalia today and taken to McLaughlin's chapel.

Mrs. Pat Warren, of 1702 West Broadway, left this morning for Kansas City to arrange with Mrs. Gaugh for the funeral services, which the latter will be unable to attend.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Thursday morning with the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. Mrs. A. H. Bratten will be in charge of the music.

Friends of the family will serve as pallbearers.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Wyatt Martin

Wyatt Martin, Pettis county farmer, passed away at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at a hospital in Marshall.

Mr. Wyatt was born August 6, 1879 in Saline county and came to Pettis county with his parents to reside in 1901. He was married on July 21, 1903 to Miss Ethel Haines and to this union were born four sons, two preceding their father in death.

Surviving are his wife of the home southwest of Sweet Springs, two sons, Bryan, of Hydesville, Calif., and Haines of Houstonia, Calif., four brothers, Wilder Martin, Malta Bend, Ranken Martin and Bennie Martin of Houstonia and James Martin of Kansas City, and three sisters, Mrs. W. P. Hardin and Mrs. F. L. Black of Slater, and Mrs. C. B. Franklin of Marshall.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church at Houstonia with Rev. George Ferrenburg, pastor of the Methodist church to officiate.

Music will be in charge of Mrs. Joe H. Williams of Houstonia. Pallbearers will be friends of the family.

Meeting For Wives Of Men In Service

All wives of men in the armed forces are invited to attend a meeting at Central Business College, Sixth street and Massachusetts avenue at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night, to form an Army and Navy Wives club. Mrs. E. F. Hausman, Jr., club advisor, will preside.

It is often heard that many things are being done for the men in the army, but the social activities of the wives, at home, are limited. The organization of such a club affords many social opportunities for these women, who during the war will have many common interests.

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Injury To C. E. Ilgenfritz Proves Fatal

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best of shape for his pleasure.

Following his marriage to Miss Isabel Daniels, well known Sedalia resident, they traveled frequently, among their travels being two world tours. Mrs. Ilgenfritz passed away about seven years ago.

The present war between the United Nations and the totalitarian powers brought much interest to Mr. Ilgenfritz, who seemed especially anxious to get the latest news from Tunisia in the North African front, which region he had visited during his tours.

Mr. Ilgenfritz is survived by two nephews, McNair Ilgenfritz, pianist and composer, of Philadelphia, Pa., who recently appeared in a program before the Helen G. Steele Music club, and W. M. Ilgenfritz, Sedalia attorney, who returned here from Houston, Texas, a little less than a year ago when his brother, Mel Ilgenfritz, passed away, and since which time he had been with his uncle a goodly portion of the time. A grand-niece, Mrs. Dorothy Boggs, of Hollywood, Calif., also survives. Mrs. Boggs was formerly Miss Dorothy Ilgenfritz, of Sedalia.

Funeral Thursday

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel with Rev. Fordey Eastburn, pastor of the Calvary Episcopal church.

Mrs. Percy J. Metcalf and Mrs. H. C. Johnson will sing with Mrs. Mae Moser at the organ.

Pallbearers will be: Earl Phillips, Dick Van Dyne, Charles Van Dyne, Charles Gentry, Richard Harris and Harvey Keens.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Scientist, Child Of Slaves Dies

TUSKEGEE, Ala., Jan. 6.—(AP)—

Dr. George Washington Carver, a son of Negro slaves, died at his home at Tuskegee institute last night, leaving his mark on the south's agricultural economy.

Despite his humble beginning, he became one of the nation's greatest scientists in the field of agricultural chemistry, discovering countless uses for native-grown products and developing them for commercial utilization.

Dr. Carver never knew the date of his birth on a farm at Diamond Grove, Mo., but he believed it to be about 1864. His father died when Carver was a baby. Carver and his mother were stolen and taken to Arkansas.

The boy was ransomed for a race horse valued at \$300. His mother disappeared. Carver's master recognized the boy's intelligence and permitted him to enter school. After a long struggle he won a master of science degree in agricultural work at that school. There was little equipment for Carver to use and only 19 acres of some of the poorest farm land in Alabama.

He accepted the challenge and set out to utilize so-called "waste products" of southern farms. From the lowly peanut, Carver developed more than 300 useful products alone, including paper, ink and even oil to be used in the treatment of infantile paralysis.

The sweet potato, another of scores of plants with which he worked, yielded well over 100 by-products.

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St. Louis Produce
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Butterfat, 42c to 45c. Sheese: Northern Twins 25c.

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Major Control Of The Senate To Democrats

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ed doors seeking a workable compromise. It appeared this morning as though the Democrats had won—armed as they were with the spare organization vote of Lieutenant Governor Frank G. Harris.

Offers By Republicans

The Republicans—on equal senate footing for the first time in decades—opened the way to a compromise yesterday when they offered the Democrats the right to name the president pro tem, the senate secretary and equal representation on all committees.

The Democrats came back with a counter-proposal which took for themselves the president pro tem, the secretary and most other officers and assured their party of control of all committees. They offered the Republicans the chairmanships of three committees and a secretary and a clerk for each senator.

The Republicans took the proposal up in formal caucus today.

They promptly rejected the Democrats' counter-proposal, insisting upon full equality on committees and upon the right to name the assistant secretary of the senate in addition to the concessions offered them.

The Democrats then went into a huddle over the new GOP demand, with Sen. Frank Briggs (D) Macon predicting in advance that he thought the Democrats had gone as far as they would go in the way of compromise.

An hour before the official noon opening hour the dispute was still unsettled.

Politics Rule

Politics ruled the opening day, out waiting in the wings were the prospects of an ambitious administration program, a state budget about \$10,000,000 out of kilter, and the legislature's No. 1 problem: Where to get the money to operate the state.

Either department budget requests must be trimmed sharply or the legislature will have to find new revenue. The latter means new or higher taxes—twin ideas that got a hostile reception from most members before the session opened.

The business of organizing for party floor control was settled in caucus yesterday. Sen. George H. Miller of Hermitage was named Republican floor leader of that chamber and Sen. D. Raymond Carter became Republican caucus chairman. Sen. William Quinn of Maywood will be the Democratic leader.

Republican Majority

Over on the house side, where Republicans have a top-heavy majority for the first time in years, the election was all over but the formalities. They chose Howard Elliott of St. Louis County for speaker and Randall R. Kitt of Livingston County for majority floor leader.

The Democrats went through the routine of renominating Morris Osburn of Shelby County for speaker but it didn't mean a thing. The Republicans are sure to beat him.

Roy Hamlin of Marion County was named Democratic minority leader in the house and Rep. C. P. Turley (D) Carter County, became their party's caucus chairman.

Other house officers, all chosen by the Republicans: Leonard (CQ) Newton of Mansfield, chief clerk; M. L. Francis of Jefferson City, assistant chief clerk; A. J. Buster of Chillicothe, sergeant-at-arms; H. T. Floyd of Andrew County, doorkeeper; the Rev. A. J. Rehkop, Warrensburg Methodist, chaplain; Mrs. E. A. Mattes of Joplin, postmistress.

Bus Company Shares Advance

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The Markets

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, 17,000; fairly active; strong to mostly 10 cents higher; closing at full advance; top \$14.65; bulk good and choice 130 to 330 pounds \$14.45 to \$14.60; little under \$14.50; good 350 to 550 pound sows largely \$13.50 to \$13.70; few choice to \$14.00.

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STE. ANNE DE BELLEVUE, Quebec, Jan. 6—(P)—Harry Hanford Griffiths, 20-year-old Royal Air Force ferry command navigator, perched on a stool in a military hospital here Tuesday and told how he said "goodbye" to life when he fell through the emergency hatch of a Boston bomber low over nearby frozen Lake St. Louis on Dec. 21.

"I screamed like hell," he recounted, adjusting his 130 pounds and five feet, three inches comfortably and turning cool blue eyes on a row of newspapermen. The story had to be tried from him.

Except for some chapped knuckles, the result of frost bite, he bore no marks of his ordeal. "I was making adjustments to the wind drift instruments in my compartment," he said. "I was on my hands and knees and thinking of Christmas leave with my family in Toronto."

"Suddenly I plunged through the hatch. I don't know what caused it to open. I might have tripped its lock with my foot. I made a wild grab and managed to catch hold of a slat which crosses my instrument."

"I held on for dear life, half in and half out of the plane. I screamed like hell over the roar of the motors to draw the attention of the pilot and tried hard to pull myself back into the plane. I saw the plane dropping and figured the pilot realized what had happened."

"Shot Out of Hatch"
"I looked down and saw the snowy ice surfaces coming toward me. My hands and arms were numb with cold and I knew I was losing hold. So I let go and shot out of the hatch."

"I remember seeing the bomber shooting away from me, and I remember thinking I was about to die. I said to myself 'goodbye.' I don't remember anything else until the next afternoon when my brother talked to me in the hospital here."

Griffiths had no recollection of picking himself up out of a snow-drift and of walking across the ice, nor of meeting the farmer who warmed him and drove him to the hospital.

Sitting nearby and listening to Griffiths' recital was Capt. Sid Gerow of Wayzata, Minn., who, when he saw his navigator's plight, had brought the fast plane down so dangerously close to the ground that his propeller cascaded snow.

"I let her drop as close to the snow-covered ice as I could," he said, "and stayed there until I

had barely enough room to clear the trees on the shoreline, and then zoomed up."

Community News From

Syracuse

Mrs. B. A. Bridges

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Decker, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Decker, of Sedalia; Mrs. Tom Bahrenburg and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Tipton; Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd, and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Neal and children, Ann and Harlan, visited Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Winfrey, of St. Louis, visited from Friday until Sunday with Mrs. Winfrey's father, James Boyd, and Mrs. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ford had as Christmas dinner guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nelson, and children, Dickey and Nancy Ellen, of Buncheon, and their granddaughter, Miss Mary Alice Nelson, of Parkville.

Paul Edwin Stahl, of S. W. B. C., Bolivia, is here on a two-weeks vacation visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, of Conway, spent Christmas week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Taylor, and other relatives in Smithton.

Mrs. Clara Huff has received word that her son, Capt. K. B. Huff, has landed safely in French Morocco, North Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johansen, of Portland, Ala., returned home Wednesday after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Johansen.

Miss Marjory Putman returned home Sunday from a two-weeks visit with her brother, Maynard Putman, who is with the U. S. Army Air Corps, Pueblo, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Klein and son, Ronnie, Mrs. Alveta Lane and daughter, Miss Rose, and Floyd Whiteside, all of Jefferson City, accompanied by Mrs. Alpha Klein and children, Mervie and Harold Ray; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anthony and children, Paul Edwin, Jo Ann, and Wanda; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anthony and children, of Booneville, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lankup, of Buncheon, Sunday for a family reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mais, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mais, and Miss Marjory Mais, of Kansas City,

and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Whitfield, of Sedalia, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mais, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns and daughter, Cynthia, visited in Warrensburg last week with Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Monks, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Collins, of California; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Stahl, Mr. and Mrs. John Berkenbile, and Mr. and Mrs. John Engle enjoyed a card party Christmas evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis.

Miss Dorothy Kirchner, of Jefferson City, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kirchner.

John Hardy, with the Army Air Corps, of Marriadian, Miss., arrived home Wednesday for a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hardy, and his wife, Mrs. John Hardy, of Tipton, who is with him here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allison were pleasantly surprised New Year's Day when their daughter-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Allison, Jr., of Jacksonville Fla., arrived for a few weeks visit with them and with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Galbreath, of Holden. Mr. Allison will come later.

Mr. and Mrs. John Engle and children, Margot Ann and John Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Collins, of California.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kirchner and son, Wilbur, Mrs. Cora Gochenour, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Brauer and children, E. H. and Lynda Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner, of Stover; and Miss Dorothy Kirchner, of Jefferson City, were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brauer, and Mrs. Lena Brauer. Early in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirchner and Mrs. R. E. Kirchner left for Fulton, where they visited until Sunday with Mrs. Kirchner's sister, Mrs. Charley Meyers, Mr. Meyers, and other relatives.

Conversion of jalopies to scrap throughout the country goes on at a rate exceeding auto production in 1929, a banner year for new cars.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 6—(P)—Through their legislative leaders, Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., of Massachusetts, house Republican pledged themselves Tuesday to devote their energies in the 78th congress to cooperation in winning the war, curtailment of federal expenses, overhauling of the tax structure, and "preservation of constitutional government."

Those were highlights of a statement issued by Martin on behalf of the strengthened minority, numbering 208 of the 435 house members.

Other objectives in the Republican program included: Preservation of "private enterprise from destruction." Protection "of our free press."

Outing of "special privilege seekers from entrenched positions in government."

Curbing of "the reckless granting of blanket powers and blank checks."

Elimination of unnecessary bureaus and agencies. Tax collection on a pay-as-you-go basis.

Release of "every third federal employee in the regular establishments for war work."

Creation of congressional committees to deal with aviation development and post-war problems.

"A fair deal and an opportunity to survive" for small business.

Killed As Plane
Crashes In Sea

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 6—(P)—The fifth naval district announced Tuesday night that Lieut. (JG) Gordon M. Braun USNR, of Kansas City, Kas., was killed this morning in the crash of his navy land plane into the sea near Corolla, N. C.

The plane fell from a high altitude while participating in routine flight maneuvers.

Surviving Lieut. Braun are his widow, Mrs. Ruth Vernon Braun, of Norfolk, and his father, Frank Braun of Kansas City.

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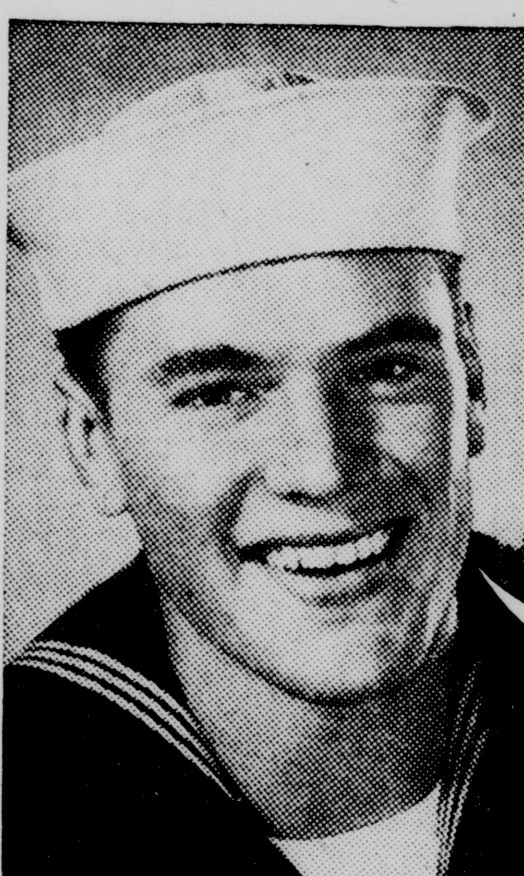
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Society and Clubs

The following circles of the W. M. S. of the East Sedalia Baptist church will meet Thursday:

Connelly circle, all day meeting with Mrs. F. E. Norris, 1120 East Fourth street. Covered dish luncheon at noon.

Livingston circle, all day meeting with Mrs. Ed Sands, 1418 East Seventh street. School lunch at noon hour.

Lottie Moon circle meets at 2 p. m., with Mrs. Younger on East Howard street.

John Lowe circle meets at 2 p. m. with Mrs. John Kinney 661 East Fifteenth street.

Anderson circle, all day meeting with Mrs. E. E. Lingle, 906 Arlington. Covered dish luncheon at noon.

Kate Cox White circle meets at 2 p. m. with Mrs. L. Maness 806 East Thirteenth street.

Armstrong circle will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Charles Momborg, 1320 East Thirteenth street.

Each circle plans to work on comforts for the Red Cross and members are asked to bring needles and thimbles.

Captain Carl Siegel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel, Sr., Florence, returned to his station in New York Monday following a leave here with relatives. On January 1 he was honor guest at a dinner given by his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ira DeHaven of Smithton. Others present were: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel, Sr., and daughter, Florence, Jack and J. T. Phillips of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ramseyer, Smithton. The Siegels had just received a letter from their son and brother, Lieut. Eugene Siegel, who had received a serious eye injury in the Solomons, stating he was well again.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Coe, of 1208 East Ninth street, had as dinner guests Tuesday evening, Private J. J. Coe, a nephew of Camp Carson, Colo., and Mrs. Coe, who were married last Sunday at Bunceton, Mo., while he is on a furlough. The bride was formerly Miss Naomi Rutherford, of Pleasant Green.

Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barkley, of Smithton, she being a niece of Mr. Coe. Mr. Barkley left today with a contingent of selective service men to report at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., for induction.

Miss Mollie Ross has as her guests her three sisters and a nephew from Portland, Ind., Mrs. Roy S. Shull, Mrs. Brancir Hummer and son, Paul Dwight, and Miss Mary Ross. They were entertained Wednesday noon at a dinner given at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Monroe.

Sixty years ago, January 7, 1883, Miss Cordelia A. Cramer became the bride of Rev. P. T. Sumners, now retired Baptist minister, in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Dr. A. W. Hall at the home of the bride's father, W. D. Cramer, in Warsaw, Rev. and Mrs. Sumners obtained the second marriage license issued in Benton county, of which county both were residents for seventy-five years.

Rev. and Mrs. Sumners are the parents of Rev. J. R. Sumners, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, and Elmer C. Sumners, alderman of the second ward.

Rev. P. T. Sumners has been an ordained minister for forty-two years.

In celebration of the event, open house will be held tomorrow at their home, 201 East Saline street, to which all friends are invited.

Church Events

The Women's Missionary society of the Broadway Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 p. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frank Leach, 522 West Seventh street. Mrs. Walter Staley will have the devotional, Mrs. Stewart King will have the topic, "Southern Mountains", and Mrs. W. A. Buell will have the topic, "Thailand".

The Ladies' Aid of the St. Paul Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon in the Sunday school building with Mrs. Fred Miller and Mrs. E. C. Schlichting, hostesses.

The meeting of the Epworth Circle, of the Epworth M. E. church, to have been held Thursday, January 7, at the home of Mrs. Joe Self, 717 East Tenth street, has been postponed until Thursday of next week, January 14, when it will meet at the same home.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Fifth Street M. E. church will meet at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning. The meeting will be in charge of Mrs. A. B. Wade, with Mrs. H. U. Campbell leading the devotional. The Rev. Fordyce Eastburn, rector of Calvary Episcopal church, will be a special guest, and will address the society at 1:30 o'clock.

Luncheon will be served at noon.

Installation Of Grange Officers

The Maplewood Grange will meet in open session Friday night to install officers. A. A. Wherley will be installing officer, Rev. Walter P. Arnold, installing chaplain; Harold and Howard Stevens, marshals; Miss Beverly Michaels, emblem bearer; Miss Mary Sue Monsees, regalia bearer; Clyde Waters, soloist; and Mrs. Waters, pianist.

The officers to be installed are: E. C. Stevens, master; Edwin Heffernan, overseer; Mrs. John Harris, lecturer; Miss Henrietta Stevens, steward; T. E. Thompson, assistant steward; Mrs. E. C. Stevens, chaplain; C. L. Momborg.

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The highest volcanic peak in the world is Sahama, in Bolivia. It is 21,000 feet high.

Line Forms At The Right TOPEKA, Kas. — If the right grandma can be found, there's \$5 waiting for her at the Topeka postoffice.

An envelope containing the money was found in the mails addressed simply "To Grandma."

For Class Ads, Phone 1000.

Community News From

Houstonia

Mrs. Bennie Martin

Mr. and Mrs. John Herring and little daughter, Ruth Ann, of Salem, near St. Louis, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butts.

On Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. James Montgomery entertained with a dinner. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butts, of Houstonia; Mrs. Butts' son, Mr. and Mrs. John Herring and daughter, of Salem; Jimmie and Billie Butts, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. James Young, of St. Louis; Miss Dorothy Montgomery, of Ft. Leonard Wood; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Montgomery, and Mrs. John Montgomery. Mrs. John Montgomery accompanied her grandson, John Herring, and family, to their home near St. Louis, for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ryan and son, Kenneth, were dinner guests Christmas Day of Mrs. Ryan's sister, Mrs. Guy Snyder, and Mr. Snyder, in Sedalia. The ladies' father, Sid Hampton, of Sedalia, was also present.

Mrs. Maurice Boguard has returned to her home in Louisiana, where she is teaching after spending the Christmas holidays here.

Carolyn and Donnie Cooper, of Independence, spent the past week with Mrs. Susie Cooper.

Mrs. Wallace Wimer and little daughter spent several days with her parents, at Harrisonville, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien, of Denver, Colo., came for the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Westbrook, and remained a few days. They were

Horse Collar

PIEDMONT, Mo.—Richard Smith is pretty sore at some thief, but probably not as sore as his horses.

Smith hauled a load of mine props to town, tied his team to a hitching post, attended to some business, then drove home after dark.

Not until he unharnessed his team did he discover that somebody had stolen both his horse collars.

Recruiter Leaves For St. Louis Office

Corp. Leonard Hastings, who has been the army recruiter here, will leave today to report to the St. Louis headquarters.

Information and applications for the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps may still be obtained at the office in the post office building.

The Marine recruiting office is

accompanied here by Mrs. Wallace Stuart, of Denver, who also visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belsha. They left Saturday for their homes in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox Wright and Mrs. Philo spent a few days in Kansas City.

Jimmie Newson went to Kansas City for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shepherd, of Lawrence, Kas., spent a few days during the holidays. Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd and her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stone, and little grandson, W. L. Barlish, spent the day with Mr. Shepherd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shepherd, at Warrensburg.

Lodge Notices

Masonic Notice

Granite Lodge No. 272 A. F. & A. M., will meet in special communication Thursday, January

7, at 7 p. m. Examination in the Entered Apprentice degree, work in the Fellow Craft degree. All

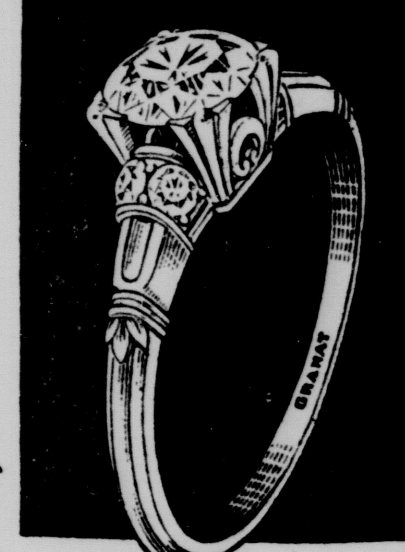
Fellow Crafts invited to attend. Visiting members welcome.

Everett White, W. M.

still open with Staff Sgt. W. E. Klar in charge. Staff Sgt. James Lancaster has been transferred to St. Louis to report for duty.

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3.49 WOMEN'S SUEDE SHOES.....1.47

1.29 WOMENS HOUSE SHOES.....97¢

2.29 GIRL' SCHOOL OXFORDS....1.87

3.85 MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS.....3.27



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Butter To Be Set Aside For Needs In War

Selling Of Fruit Juices By Cannery Out For Month

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Secretary of Agriculture Wickard Tuesday night directed manufacturers to set aside 30 per cent of their monthly production of creamery butter for direct war requirements, including military and lend-lease, beginning Feb. 1.

At the same time, the food administration extended a previous order of the war production board reserving the production of all citrus juices, except unconcentrated grapefruit juices, for war needs.

Less Fruit Juices

Wickard also prohibited cannery from selling unconcentrated grapefruit juices during the remainder of January, February or March so that supplies of these products might be held for civilian use later in the season, when supplies of fresh citrus fruits are low. However, wholesalers and retailers may continue to sell their available stocks of citrus juices.

This is the first time that manufacturers have been ordered to set aside butter for war needs, although WPB last November 20 required that half of the then available cold storage stocks in 35 cities be frozen for government needs. That order supplied the government with about 18,000,000 pounds, or war needs for two weeks.

Officials said the butter order would set aside for war needs a larger proportion of the production than is now being bought by government agencies. They would not say, however, how much the increase would be.

The purpose of the citrus juice order, Wickard said, was to insure adequate supplies for government requirements and to conserve tin plate, requiring civilians to obtain most of their citrus juices from fresh fruit.

More than half of the production of canned grapefruit juice will be available to civilians, but the entire production of orange, lemon and combination juices, concentrated and unconcentrated, will go to war needs.

Wickard said it was expected that about 510,000,000 pounds of butter would be set aside for the government in 1943 under his order, leaving about 1,190,000,000 pounds for civilians. About two thirds of the government's share, he said, will go to American military forces, and the balance almost entirely to Russia for military needs.

He estimated that about 13

WEEKLY BUTTER RATION						
UNITED STATES	CANADA	GREAT BRITAIN	GERMANY	ITALY	BELGIUM	FRANCE
8 oz.	8 oz.	7 1/4 oz.	3 3/4 oz.	3 1/2 oz.	1 3/4 oz.	
Butter supply melting as more goes to armed forces; rationing ahead	Butter	Fats, only 2 oz. of which may be butter	Butter and margarine	Butter, fats and olive oil	Butter and margarine	Butter and fats

Butter is scarce in the U. S. these days, but the situation isn't nearly as bad as in other countries. Europe has been rationing butter and fats since 1940, but rationing doesn't always mean butter is there to buy. In countries like Greece, Yugoslavia, Norway and Poland, butter is but a memory. U. S. shortage is due to unprecedented use during past months and WPB order freezing part of cold storage stocks to insure adequate supply for fighting forces and lend-lease. Don't feel too bad if you're low on butter for, as a war photographer put it, "there is no butter on Guadalcanal."

pounds would be available for every U. S. civilian in 1943, against estimated per capita consumption of 16 pounds in 1942.



Q—Just as we celebrate July 4, the Russians recently celebrated Dec. 5. Why?

A—It was the sixth anniversary of the Stalin constitution of the Soviet state.

Q—Will all armed service officers be obtained from the academies and by promotion, now that enlistments have been stopped?

A—No. Men under 38, deferred for dependents, can enlist through selective service.

Q—What is the record for consecutive double ringers in horseshoe pitching?

A—Guy Zimmerman, Sac City, Ia., threw 28 consecutive double ringers in an exhibition match in Los Angeles in 1934.

Berne good listening posts for the United Nations?

Q—Why are Stockholm and A—They are the capitals of the only neutrals near Germany and neutral travelers coming back from Naziland, often bring valuable information.

Q—Why do beans, baked Boston style, have more nutrition than those baked New York style?

A—Boston baked beans are baked with molasses, one of the best sources of iron.

Massachusetts car owners who fail to comply with Army and state dimout regulations by not blacking out the top half of automobile lights are liable to revocation of registrations.

Democrat-Capital Class Ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c Phone 1000.

Increase In Crown Drug Store Sales

The Crown Drug company, Kansas City headquarters, announces that sales for December, 1942 were \$1,009,883 as compared to \$918,369.77 for December, 1941, an increase in 1942 of \$91,513.47 or 9.96 per cent.

Sales for the three months of our fiscal year, from October 1, 1942 to December 31, 1942 were \$2,743,318.11 as compared to \$2,412,125.18 for the same period the that sales for December, 1942, of 13.73 per cent.

On the Virginia side of the main street of Bristol, Virginia-Tennessee, gasoline ration coupons are worth three gallons of gasoline, and on the other, the Tennessee side, they are worth four gallons.

New Year Meeting Of Longwood Club

The Longwood Extension club held its monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Joe Jenkins on New Year's Day. A covered dish luncheon was enjoyed by all at noon.

Mrs. Cloyd Leftwich, president, read material sent from the county office.

Songs were sung by all and Mrs. Raymond Hurt and Mrs. Cloyd Leftwich sang a duet. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in playing games.

Each member is asked to bring a Valentine to the next meeting.

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Red Cross Corner



At a most impressive ceremony held Monday morning at Red Cross headquarters, Mrs. Arthur Kahn, vice-president of the Pettis County chapter, American Red Cross, and chairman of the volunteer Special Services, made certain awards and presentations to those Sedalia women whose faithfulness and devotion to this cause have made possible the continued success of the surgical dressings department.

To Mrs. J. A. Lamy and Mrs. Frank Kayser and H. E. Bradley, the one-year service bar, the two-year service chevron, and the large Red Cross, indicative of the supervisor. To Miss Josephine Chipman and Mrs. E. H. Hausam, Jr., the one-year service bar, and the large Red Cross. To Mrs. A. H. Wilks, Mrs. M. P. Shy, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. M. J. Lawson, Mrs. Harve Terry, and Mrs. J.

S. Mitchell, the one-year service. All during this week, awards will be made to all those women who are entitled to them, at subsequent surgical dressings meetings.

Mrs. Emmett Sullivan was named second vice-chairman of the surgical dressings committee. A vote of thanks was given Miss Agnes Quin for her incomparable work as "commander-in-chief" of the surgical dressings workers.

Pettis county, in general, and Sedalia, in particular, may well be proud of our Red Cross surgical dressings record. We know that with Miss Quin, Mrs. Lamy, and Mrs. Sullivan in charge, 1943 will be a year of increased endeavor and even greater fulfillment on the part of these women and their co-workers.

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Good Catch

INDIANAPOLIS — Either somebody is mad at the government or somebody else has received too many rejection slips.

Leon R. Sawyer, an employee of the U. S. Geological Survey, turned four nearly new typewriters over to police today and said he had found them under two feet of water in the White River.

They can be restored to working shape with minor repairs, he said.

COLUMBIA CLOSERS — Woods used in the production of the new air freighters are hickory, spruce, birch, gum, mahogany and Douglas fir.

The coastline of Alaska is greater than the distance around the earth.

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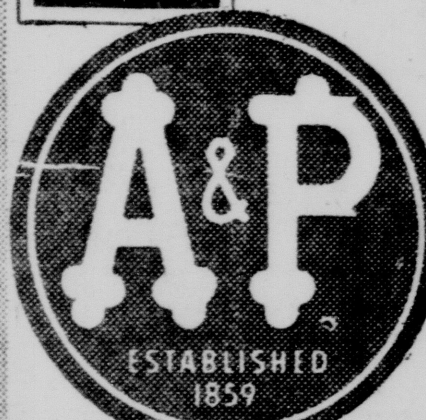
Rules for perfect coffee now that rationing is here!

1. Be sure you buy Fresh Coffee.
2. Be sure your coffee is Custom Ground to "fit" your coffee pot.
3. Don't try to "stretch" coffee. Remember that one cup of good coffee is better than two cups of poor coffee.
4. Make just enough for each serving. Coffee is too good to waste.

Because your coffee must last longer these days, freshness is vital... and so is correct grinding. Why take chances with coffee that is ground in far-distant factories days, even weeks, before you buy it? But really fresh A&P Coffee in the flavor-sealed bean—have it Custom Ground to the exact fineness for your coffee pot when you buy. Get finer, fresher flavor in every cup with Custom Ground A&P Coffee.



2 lbs. 41¢ 2 lbs. 47¢ 2 lbs. 51¢



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2 LBS. JACK SPRAT APPLE BUTTER 22¢

2 LB. JAR WIN YOU APPLE JELLY 29¢

8-oz. Pkg. Puffed Wheat 15¢

2-Lb. Box Macaroni 15¢

2-Lb. Box Spaghetti 15¢

ROME BEAUTY APPLES 4 lbs 25¢

TEXAS GRAPEFRUIT 10 for 25¢

Head Lettuce 5's.....head 10¢

Fresh Carrotsbch. 9¢

Fresh Turnipslbs. 10¢

Dry Onions6 lbs. 25¢

10c Loaves Taystee, Wonder or Alquist's BREAD 3 for 25¢

WHEATIES 10¢

2-LB. BOX CRACKERS 21¢

2-LB. BOX GRAHAM CRACKERS 24¢

24 Lbs. Expansion Flour 99¢

24 Lbs. Nise and White Flour \$1.01

2-LB. CAN CLABBER GIRL Baking Powder 19¢

5-Lb. Sack Corn Meal 15¢

Folger's Coffeelb. 31¢

Butter Nut Coffeelb. 30¢

Large Navy Beans8 lbs. 22¢

Pinto Beans3 lbs. 23¢

100 Lbs. Chop Corn \$1.99

100 Lbs. Bran \$1.99

100 Lbs. Sunnyland Laying Mash \$2.49

100 Lbs. Sunnyland Hen Scratch \$2.10

Grocery Values

- 5-Lbs. Fresh Corn Meal.....19¢
- 5-Lbs. Hummer Pancake Flour.....19¢
- 1 1/2-Lb. Karo Waffle Syrup in glass 19¢
- 1-Lb. Cello Egg Noodles.....19¢
- 2-Lb. Cello pkg. Whole Grain Rice 19¢
- 2-lb. cello pkg small Navy Beans.....19¢
- 3-lb. Elbow Macaroni, 25c value.....19¢
- 3-lbs. Elbow Spaghetti, 25c value.....19¢
- Large Loaf Golden Krust Bread 4 loaves.....19¢
- Shryack Baking Soda 4 1-lb. boxes 19¢

Breakfast Food Values

- Woodward Wheat Cereal, 1g. pkg. 12¢
- Post Bran Flakes 2—7-oz. pkgs. 19¢
- Grape Nut Flakes, 2—7-oz. pkgs. 19¢
- Crystal Wedding Oats, 2 pkgs. 19¢
- 4-oz. cello Wheat Puffs, 5 for 19¢
- Lg. pkg. Kellogg's All Bran.....19¢
- Post Toasties, 2 pkgs. 19¢
- Jersey Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. 19¢
- Rice Krispies, 2 pkgs. 21¢
- Wheaties, 2 pkgs. 21¢
- Quaker Oats, Lge. pkg. 21¢

Tobacco Values

- Cigarette Papers, 4—5c pkgs. 15¢
- Cotton Ball, 2—10c twists.....15¢
- Geo. Washington, 2—10c pkgs. 15¢
- Beechnut, 2—10c pkgs. 15¢
- Bull Durham, 4—5c pkgs. 15¢
- Model, 2—10c pkgs. 15¢
- Dill's Best, 3 cans.....29¢
- Prince Albert, 3 cans.....29¢
- Velvet, 3 cans.....29¢

WHILE THEY LAST
16 or 20 Gauge Xpert SHOTGUN SHELLS box 79¢

LARGE SIZE—120-LB. CAPACITY
LARD CANS.....25¢

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ARMOUR'S Assorted Meat Loaves
Pickle Pimento MAC. CHEESE Lb. 25¢

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SAUSAGElb. 32¢

SAUSAGElb. 27¢

OLEOlb. 18¢

OLEOlb. 24¢

ARMOUR'S STAR WILSON'S CERTIFIED TENDERIZED HAMS Whole lb 37¢

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Enameled SAUCE PANS—4 for.....39¢

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I-Announcements

7-Personals

DENTIST MOVED—Dr. Parsons now in Igenfritz Building, Room 313.

REDUCE SAFELY thru elimination; Ridd Effervescent Salts, 69c Star Drug.

SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily Phone 2405.

HAVE YOUR — Old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds Bryan-Paulus Awning Company Phone 131.

10-Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST, WRIST WATCH on 3rd street bus 9:30; or 1100 block West 3rd; Ohio between Main and Second, Mrs. J. M. Johanness, 1113 West 3rd.

LOST — Wire Truck Wheel, mounted with tire. Call 3099. Reward.

LOST HOUND male; large red and white; ticked; name on collar. Reward. Call 1213.

LOST DEC. 24th at Y. M. C. A. rimless glasses. Call Smithton 42; collect.

II-Automotive

11-Automobiles for Sale

1939 PLYMOUTH—Coupe; extra good; trade for '40 41 Sedan. Cash difference. Phone 2916.

12-Auto Trucks for Sale

1939 DODGE pick-up truck; good tires. Phone 57-F-31. Joe Reine.

III-Business Service

18-Business Services Offered

GUNS REPAIRED and rebled. Dell, 508 East 4th Street.

CAHL, GOIST—Authorized Philco Radio Service, 614 S. Ohio Phone 139.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage Phone 854.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES—Local registrar. Phone 3166-W. 618 East Broadway. Notary Public.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE—All makes. Household and Commercial. Sedalia Refrigeration. Phone 234.

1943 HUNTING—Fishing License. Official tire inspection; radiators backflushed; battery charging; rentals; Floral Tire and Battery Station, 16th and 65. Sedalia, Missouri.

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25-Moving, Trucking, Storage

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

IV-Employment

32-Help Wanted—Female

WOMAN FOR housework. 918 South Marvin.

WOMAN, WHITE OR COLORED — for general house work. Call 1336-J or 1008 South Snead.

WHITE WOMAN, stay nights; housework; 2 in family, 1107 South Montauk.

MIDDLE AGED lady, do house work and care for sick lady. Write Sam Porterfield, Cross Timbers, Missouri.

WANTED A WOMAN—or practical nurse to care for child. Write 211 West Market street, Warrensburg, Missouri.

33-Help Wanted—Male

MEN OR BOYS—Set pins. Bowling Alley, 512 South Ohio.

WANTED—Carrier boys for Kansas City Star. Call 2405.

MAN TO CUT WOOD — Good proposition. Joe Reine. Phone 57-F-31.

IV-Employment

34-Help—Male and Female

WANTS NURSE — for elderly man. Phone 2570 evenings after 6.

WANTED ERRAND BOY — or girl, over 17 years. Apply Mr. Green, Bryant Motor Co. 2nd and Kentucky.

V-Financial

40-Money to Loan—Mortgages

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\$5 TO \$60
ON Your Name Only
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Phone - Then Come In for Your Money

OTHER LOANS TO \$300 IN 1 DAY
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VII-Live Stock

47-Dogs, Cats, other Pets

FOR SALE BEAUTIFUL — little Cocker Spaniel puppies. Bruce bloodlines. Phone 1517; 1806 West Broadway.

48-Horses, Cattle other Stock

FOR SALE—ONE DUROC boar. A. B. Landers 46-F-14.

PURE BRED—Red boar, 200 lbs. Milk cows, Scotten, 78-F-22.

WE PAY — for dead animals, horses, cattle and hogs, if not skinned or decomposed. We pay telephone charges. Phone Sedalia 3033.

HAVE 6 HORSES would like to pasture in good feed lot for balance of winter by the month. Call Milner Hotel, Room 344 or inquire Speed Barns, Fair Grounds, Sedalia.

VIII-Merchandise

51-Articles for Sale

CLEAN WHITE RAGS will pay 7c pound, no curtains. 507 South Ohio.

ELECTRIC SWEEPERS; IRONS — Toasters; stoves; beds; springs; sewing machines; chests; suitcases; clocks; 1207 Ingram. Phone 3355. "Let's Trade".

STORE FIXTURES—12 ft. glass show case; Dayton electric meat grinder; Standard computing scale; McCaskey bill filing register; small porcelain top table. Phone 2445.

56-Fuel, Feed Fertilizers

WOOD for sale. Phone 4085.

OAK AND HICKORY block wood. 88. Phone 3644. 1208 Harrison.

WOOD—OAK and hickory. 2101 East Broadway. Phone 2155.

BLOCK WOOD—88. Slab 87. Delivered. Phone 2047. 1501 South Missouri.

WINDSOR DEEP SHAFT—Lump. Call C. T. McGee after 5:30.

59-Household Goods

2 PIECE LIVING room suite. Phone 3869.

APARTMENT SIZE Detroit Jewel gas stove. \$18. 634 East 16th.

FRIGIDAIRE, QUILTS—Pillows; feather bed; Hays heater; etc. 818 East 10th. Phone 2432.

SOLID MAHOGANY sectional bookcase. 502 West 6th. Phone 3320.

LOVELY FURNISHINGS — Imports and domestic of our 8 room home. Bendix laundry. Easy ironer. General Electric refrigerator. Detroit Jewel stove like new. Limited time. Appointment only. Phone 1283. Mrs. R. G. Cunningham, 720 West 5th.

SLIGHTLY USED baby crib for sale. Phone 3296.

65-Wearing Apparel

DRESSES for sale; size 18. Call 1517.

BLACK LAPIN JACKET—Size 14. Excellent condition. Phone 2886.

66-Wanted To Buy

OVERCOAT FOR SALE, good condition. 1309 West 3rd.

WANTED TO BUY—Live rabbits. David Meyer, 509 East Third.

WANTED NICE Clean white rags; no curtains. 5c pound. Sedalia Democrat.

WANTED — FURS, RABBITS — black walnuts; sheep pelts; cow and horse hides; Goose feathers. Junk. M. & M. Hide and Fur Company. 301 West Main.

WANTED TO BUY—Whole milk Beatrice Creamery Company Phone 510.

WANTED TRAPPED OR—Shot Rabbits; Black Walnuts. Cullys Market, 208 West 2nd; Market Square.

CASH—for your furniture, stoves and rugs. Callies Furniture Co. Phone 412.

WANTED TO BUY—Good Knee-hole desk. Phone 3274, after 12 o'clock.

IX-Rooms and Board

67-Rooms with Board

MEN BOARDERS; 2 unfurnished rooms for rent. 1716 South Beacon.

X-Real Estate for Rent

74-Apartments and Flats

3 ROOM FURNISHED—apartment. 312 East 5th.

MODERN APARTMENT — 4 rooms with bath; garage. Price \$20. R. B. Rupard.

FURNISHED APARTMENT—406 East 5th. Phone 1957-W.

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3 ROOMS downstairs. Stoker heat. 505 East 11th. Phone 2150 or 2926.

APARTMENT UNFURNISHED, newly decorated. 112 West 7th. Phone 1520.

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2 ROOM MODERN—furnished apartment, sink; closet. 1302 South Osage. Reasonable.

4 ROOM MODERN — Upper apartment with Garage. 608 1/2 South Kentucky. Phone 556.

5 ROOMS UNFURNISHED — 918 1/2 East 3rd. Phone 2321 or 332.

MODERN three room apartment. Nicely furnished. Downtown. Adults only. \$35.00. Vacant Jan. 10. Phone 2841 or 946.

SMALL FURNISHED APARTMENT — modern; automatic heat and hot water. Phone 736.

2 FURNISHED APARTMENTS—Modern, utilities paid. Stoker heat. 1207 East 11th. Phone 2815.

3 ROOM FURNISHED—apartment. Modern. Phone 3075. 217 South Montauk.

FURNISHED APARTMENT, lights and water furnished. 1021 South Harrison. Phone 4033.

76-Farms and Land for Rent

40 ACRE FARM—large house, 2 miles south on 65 highway, apply Pfeiffer's Flower Shop, 501 South Ohio.

77-Houses for Rent

NEWLY REMODELED one or two family house. 608 West Second.

4 ROOM HOUSE—large garden. See J. W. Menefee, court house.

5 ROOM STRICTLY modern. Dal-Whi-Mo Court. Phone 2419.

77-A—Furnished Houses for Rent

FURNISHED 5 ROOM—modern dwelling; utility room built-in features. 230 South Prospect. References required.

77-A—Furnished Houses for Rent

STRICTLY MODERN furnished 4 room house. West 5th. Phone 1183.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

82-Business Property for Sale

FOR SALE—3 Bowling Alleys. Complete in operation. Cohen's, Clinton, Missouri.

83-Farms and Land for Sale

FOR SALE 87 ACRES—improved. Gravel road. 1411 West Main.

160 ACRES—Good house; well; hogwire fences; Clay Houchen, Houstonia, Mo.

120 ACRES ON GRAVEL ROAD, 1/2 mile south of Dresden, fair improvements; on R. F. D.; milk route; telephone; R. E. A. available; plenty water; well located. Adolph Selbach. LaMonte, Mo.

XI-Real Estate for Sale

83-Farms and Land for Sale

40 ACRES; 3 1/2 MILES of Sedalia; 22 acres bottom ground; plenty of water; modern house; 5 rooms and bath; gas; water; lights and phone; \$5,000. E. H. McLaughlin, Porter Real Estate Co.

IMPROVED 148 ACRES—about 40 miles from Kansas City, on highway. Electricity, bus service, near school and store. Water supply plentiful, land all tillable. 25 acres bottom. Priced for quick sale. \$40 per acre. Kent D. Johnson, 412 1/2 South Ohio. Phone 700.

276 ACRES; good improvements; plenty of water; only \$35 per acre; a real bargain. See E. H. McLaughlin, Porter Real Estate Co.

84-Houses for Sale

9 ROOM HOUSE; 2 apartments. 1105 South Ohio. Phone 1198.

4 ROOM FRAME HOUSE for sale cheap; can be moved. Herman Peterman, 2 miles East Sweet Springs.

87-Suburban, Country for Sale

WANT A SUBURBAN HOME — close to Sedalia? We have one which provides the comfort of a city property, at the same time enabling you to secure an income from rentals; gardening; chicken raising, etc. Equipment is on premises, improvements in fine shape. Porter Real Estate Company.

SUBURBAN; 5 ROOMS — Bath, lights; basement; garage; poultry house; cow stable; fruit; hard surface streets; side walks; 2 blocks from bus; 3 blocks from school; walking distance from shops; low taxes; terms; possession; Kent D. Johnson, 412 1/2 South Ohio. Phone 700.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of stockholders of the City Light and Traction Company will be held on the 15th day of January, 1943, at the principal office of the corporation, in the City of Sedalia, State of Missouri, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. C. GRIFFIN, Secretary.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, a vacancy did happen in the representation from the State of Missouri from the sixth congressional district in the House of Representatives in the Congress of the United States, caused by the death of Honorable Phil A. Bennett, who was a member of the House of Representatives in the Congress of the United States from the sixth congressional district of Missouri, and,

WHEREAS, Forrest C. Donnell, Governor of the State of Missouri, has issued to me his writ of election to fill such vacancy, and has directed that I cause an election to be held on Tuesday, January 12, 1943, within the limits of Pettis County, Missouri, for the election of a member of the House of Representatives in the Congress of the United States from the sixth congressional district of Missouri, and the laws thereof, I hereby declare that a special election be held in Pettis County, Missouri, on Tuesday, January 12, 1943, at the usual and customary voting places, for the purpose of electing a representative from the sixth congressional district of Missouri, to the House of Representatives in the Congress of the United States,

C. R. BOTHWELL, Sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri.

Wheat Prices

Backing Down

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Wheat prices backed down from 5 year highs today under the pressure of profit taking and hedging sales, losing about a cent a bushel.

Conflicting reports concerning a government plan to call loans on 1940-41 wheat now stored as collateral, with a federal spokesman denying this will be done, helped to unsettle the trade. Reports of increased marketings of grain in some localities, including wheat redeemed from loans, also attracted attention.

Wheat closed 3/4 to 1 cent lower than yesterday. May \$1.39 1/4, July \$1.39 1/4 to \$1.39 1/2; corn unchanged to 1/4 cent off. May 95 1/2 to 96; July 96 1/2 to 97; oats 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower; rye 1 to 1 1/4 cent lower.

Jelly Used by Oilmen

To shut off the flow of water and to start the flow of oil in another part of the well, as much as 1800 gallons of a special, sweet, edible jelly is poured down a single well.

Last Ship Sunk

The H. M. S. Britannia was the last big ship to be sunk by enemy action in World War I. She was torpedoed off Gibraltar three days before the armistice was signed.

Penguins can "run faster lying down."

Brotherly Love

KANSAS CITY—Municipal Court Judge Earle W. Frost says it's the most amazing case he ever heard.

Both Leo E. Gage, 21, and James H. Willis, 27, whose cars collided, admitted they had been inattentive at the wheel.

When the judge said "10 each," Gage ruefully observed, "I'm a little short, Judge."

Willis spoke up: "Here's \$10. You can pay me back sometime."

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Community Hotel Company, of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in the Ambassador Room, Mezzanine floor, Hotel Bothwell, northeast corner Fourth and Ohio Streets, Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1943, beginning at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing nine directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 23th day of December, 1942.

J. E. CANNADAY, President.

D. S. LAMM, Secretary.

WASH TUBBS

THIS OFFICE OVER IN GERMANY—YOU SAY IT'S FULL OF CHARTS ON ALL NAZI AIRCRAFT PLANTS. ANY IDEA HOW A PERSON COULD SWIPE THAT STUFF?

AW, MSIEUR, BUT ONE PERSON COULD NOT DO IT

I THINK SO, AT NIGHT, BUT NOT WITHOUT AROUSING THE MILITARY GARRISON ACROSS THE STREET

COULD A DOZEN?

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At one time, influenza was thought to be caused by supernatural "influences," hence its name.

Now FOX
Thru
Thursday
"Always—The Place To Go"

BUD ABBOTT and LOU COSTELLO
in
WHO DONE IT?
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LOUISE ALLBRITTON
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Ball Season Will Open On April 21st

**Comply With Request
To Train Near Home
And Save Travelling**

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Even baseball will stay at home this spring to aid the war effort.

Complying with a recent request by Joseph Eastman, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, to reduce train travel to a minimum, major league clubs decided yesterday to train in their own backyards or within an area north of the Potomac and Ohio rivers and east of the Mississippi. The two St. Louis clubs were given the option of a Missouri site.

Results of ODT Meeting
This action, which Eastman said was "most gratifying" and an "example which x x x I hope and believe there will be many who will follow," was the result of an emergency meeting of club owners called by Commissioner K. M. Landis following his talk last week with the ODT director.

The club owners yesterday also decided to:
Open the season April 21 instead of April 13 and close it October 3 instead of September 26.

Retain their 154-game schedule. Further co-operate with the government and railroads by "selecting the least congested mode of travel during the regular season."

The question of reduced personnel on road trips will be left to the individual clubs, said Landis, who personally announced results of the two-hour meeting.

Looking For Sites
The move to restrict conditioning camps to a certain area sent all but three of the 16 clubs scurrying for new training sites today. However, the owners were generally a happy lot at finally getting the issue settled and their reaction ran like this:

The three clubs which already had definite training sites in mind within the accepted bounds are

Boston's Red Sox and Chicago's two entries, Boston will drill at Tufts college in Medford, Mass., while the Cubs and White Sox have decided on French Lick Springs, Ind.

Armstrong Wins A 10-Round Decision

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Henry Armstrong, the little Negro with the big shoulders, has disposed of California Jimmy McDaniels and immediately started preparations for his next bout, which will be with a surgeon at catchweights.

Armstrong, in a 10-rounder at Olympic auditorium last night. He had intended to depart almost at once for a Philadelphia scrap with Al Tribuani and a New York date with Beau Jack, but decided to leave his ailing tonsils behind him before braving the frigid clime of the eastern seaboard. The time for the operation hasn't been set, but George Moore, Armstrong's manager, indicated it would be soon.

Armstrong, in hammering McDaniels into defeat but not submission last night, scored the 14th victory in 15 starts in his amazing comeback attempt to regain one of the three world titles he once held simultaneously.

McDaniels, who weighed in at 147 to Armstrong's 140½, was an underdog in the betting, but gave no intimation he realized it as he stood toe to toe and slugged it out with Henry for 10 blistering rounds.

Tuesday Night's Basketball Scores

By The Associated Press

East
Fordham 62, Holy Cross 44.
Midwest
Wichita U. 42, Emporia State 35.

Southeast Missouri Teachers 44, Army Air Force (Blytheville, Ark.) 21.

Washburn 44, Baker 29.

Nebraska 41, Kansas State 32.

Southwest
Texas A. & M. 68, Sam Houston State 38.

West
Santa Clara 44, St. Mary's College 42.

California University 49, University of San Francisco 28.

Community News From

Knob Noster

Mrs. Ralph Anderson gave a party at her home in honor of the eighth birthday of her daughter, Patsy Ann. Various games were played, and refreshments were served to the following guests: Lynell and Dale Blaylock, Barbara Jane and Freddie Feagans, Calvin Foster, Louise Sappington, Doris and Roger Bailey, Lydia Fern Vogler, Shirley Crowley, Miss Ruby Alice Kavanaugh, and Mrs. Leroy Bailey.

Miss Eleanor Woody, who teaches Hepsidam school, north of town, has been elected to teach in the Foster school, in Warrensburg. Mrs. Spencer Lane, who teaches at Alma, will teach the Hepsidam school.

Rev. Arthur Dodson, of St. Louis, arrived Sunday to assume pastorate of the Methodist church. Mrs. Dodson and eight-year-old son will join Rev. Dodson here in the near future.

Pfc. Lyle Dean Slusher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slusher, of Warrensburg, formerly of Knob Noster, who was stationed in England, is somewhere in Africa.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. N. Darnell attended the funeral of her cousin, John Young, Monday afternoon at the Christian church, at Clinton.

L. G. Gahn, of Holden, who formerly operated a hardware store here, visited with friends in Knob Noster Tuesday.

Miss Irene Smiley, of La Monte, spent Thursday night and Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Grover Coats, and family.

Miss Betty Ann Covey and her guests, Miss Doris Howell, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Miss Gladys Hart, of Sheridan, Wyo., all students at Park college, in Parkville, returned here Monday after spending their Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Covey, and son, Billy Dan.

Miss Wadene Foster returned to Truro, Ia., Tuesday, where she teaches in the high school, after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Foster.

Mrs. Marie Stephenson and son, Dale, is visiting this week in Springfield with her brother-in-law, Pete Maddox, and family.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wharton and son, Wilson, at their home southeast of town, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Seigfried and children, Rosemary, Billy Lee, Lois, and Carolyn May; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Yokley and son, Bobby Jean; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wharton and sons, Larry and Dale; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Yokley, Sr., and daughter, Louise, and son, Buddy; and Mrs. Russell Sampson.

Ralph Minor, who lives four miles south of town, has purchased a farm northwest of town. Mr. Minor and family will move to their new home March 1.

Jesse Michael, northwest of town, who was injured several weeks ago from a fallen tree, is able to be back to his farm work.

Community News From

Lincoln

By May Messersmith

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCandless arrived here Wednesday of last week and visited until Tuesday morning with their parents. They went from here to Pleasant Hill where they visited Mrs. McCandless' mother and they were accompanied there by Mrs. R. B. McCandless who visited until Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Phillips.

Miss Elsie Gerken of the Mayview, Mo., school faculty, spent her Christmas vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerken and her sister, Miss Fern Gerken.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Johl, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Davis and son, Terry, and Mrs. C. O. Davis and son, Charles Floyd were dinner guests on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kennedy in Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wear, Mrs. Jane Carpenter and Miss Glenn Dell Carpenter were dinner guests Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nixon in Ionia.

Cecil O. Davis who for the last few months has been employed in the ship yards near San Francisco, Calif., arrived here Monday morning to attend the funeral of his father, H. F. Davis which was held that afternoon. Dr. Davis made the trip by airplane from Los Angeles to Kansas City where he was met by his wife and son and his brother, K. F. Davis.

G. C. and Miss May Messersmith were dinner guests last Sunday in Sedalia at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aca Williams and daughters, Mrs. Mae Kirby and Miss Helen Williams of 821 West Tenth street. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Williams and son, Ronald Hampton of Columbia, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Victor Williams and daughter, Janey of Kansas City.

Miss Arneline Boehmer and her brother, Bob Boehmer of Kansas City, spent Christmas day and Saturday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Boehmer and their sister, Miss Annette Boehmer and other relatives.

Melbourne W. Gerken and his sister, Miss Mabel Gerken, both of Kansas City, arrived Thursday evening, and visited until Sunday evening with their mother, Mrs. Tillie Gerken, and their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gerken, and small son.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Stanfield had as their guests Christmas Day: Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Huff and Margie; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanes and Betty Marie, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Mrs. Leon Borchers and brother, Abe Williams, of Sedalia, attended the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Fred Brant, nee Miss Goldie Williams, at Clifton, Ill., last week.

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Decide On Regular 154 Game Season

**Many Players Are
In War Work And
Plan To Stay There**

By Harold Claassen

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—(AP)—Baseball now has settled its spring training problem and the major league owners have expressed their determination to play a full 154-game schedule. That leaves the moguls with their biggest headache—where to get the playing talent.

That was emphasized when Joe DiMaggio hinted broadly from Reno, Nevada, that he would not be with the New York Yankees this spring, and by the intimation from Dixie Walker that he probably would remain as athletic director of a war plant instead of patrolling right field for the Brooklyn Dodgers.

DiMaggio May Quit
DiMaggio's hint did not include mention of what he intended to do, whether to join the fighters or to seek employment in a war industry.

Having contributed their share to the nation's fighting forces the major leagues now face further losses of other players to war industries.

Alf Anderson, Pittsburgh infielder, recently was classified 3B and frozen in his job as a shipbuilder for the duration; and Lou Finney, Boston Red Sox handyman, was told by his Alabama draft board to remain on his farm or be inducted.

Camilli Raising Beef
Oris Hockett, Cleveland outfielder, is reported as making as much money and being far more happy in his present job of toolmaker than as a major leaguer while Dolph Camilli, Brooklyn's first baseman, informed his bosses he "thought raising beef more essential than playing ball" and that he intended to stay on his California ranch this summer.

Other major leaguers who are spending the present off season in some type of war work include Jim Bagby, Cleveland pitcher, who is a blueprint draftsman; Terry Moore of the St. Louis Cardinals, athletic instructor; and Vernon (lefty) Gomez, Yankee pitcher, employed in a war factory.

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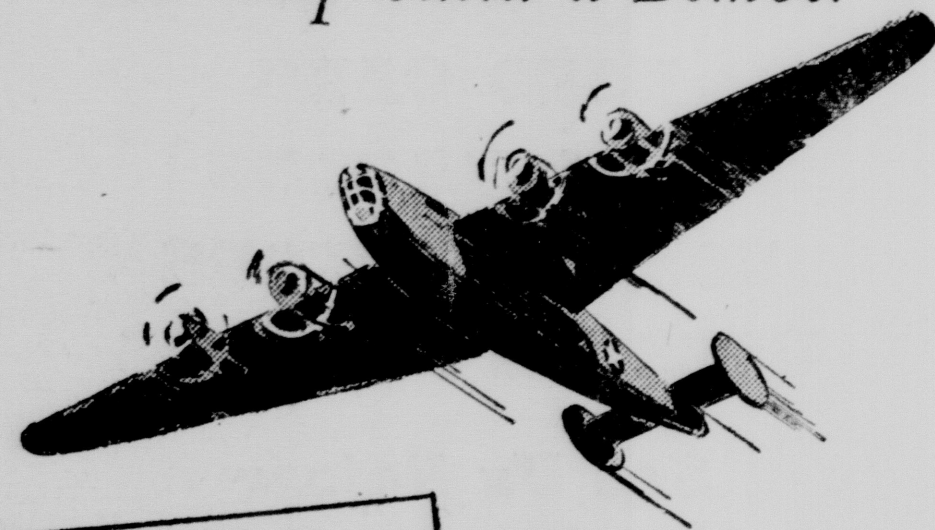
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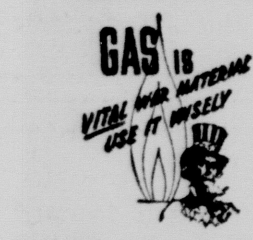
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Open Bids On USO Quarters

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Tuesday afternoon the committee appointed by the USO, board with power to act in opening and considering of bids for the remodeling of the interior of the large store room at the northeast corner of Fifth street and Osage avenue for USO, headquarters opened six bids, four being from local contractors and two from outside bidders.

After the bids had been considered the committee recommended to C. Bates Manning, of Kansas City, USO, architect in this area, that he consider the bids of two of the lowest among the Sedalia contractors they being submitted by Dan Dean, of the Dean Construction Company, and E. L. Sievers.

The USO, has been allotted a little over \$10,000 to be expended in improvements and remodeling on the building's interior and to install furniture and other needed equipment.

Under the procedure required for priorities on materials and equipment it will take at least a month to get in full readiness for work to start, and when it gets under way it is expected the place will be ready for occupancy about March 1.

U. S. Troops Seize Heights

Take Important Position From The Japanese

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON, Jan. 6—(P)—American troops have wrested from the Japanese important heights flanking the southwestern rim of the U. S. position on Guadalcanal Island, the Navy announced Tuesday.

The advance may have signaled the beginning of a campaign to drive the enemy beyond artillery range of the Solomons Islands airfield.

The Japanese counter-attacked the newly-won American positions six times, a communique said, but were repulsed with a total loss of 150 dead. While this fighting was in progress, our patrols in other sectors of the Island battlefield killed 20 Japs and captured Howitzer mortars and light machine guns.

The advance was accomplished Monday (Guadalcanal time) in the vicinity of Mount Austen, a 1,514-foot peak rising out of the jungle-covered ridges four miles southwest of the airfield. This is the section in which the Japs long ago set up artillery to harass the field and American defense positions with occasional bombardments which U. S. forces were hard put to answer because the wild countryside offered excellent cover for the enemy guns.

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Rayburn In Blunt Notice

Says Congress No Longer Bow To Demands Of 'Bureaucrats'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6. —(AP)—Speaker Rayburn (D-Tex.) was reported authoritatively Tuesday night to have told house Democrats, in executive session, that congress no longer would bow to the demands of "bureaucrats" and that the legislative branch of government "must reassert itself."

The speaker's message — amounting, some of his listeners said, to a "declaration of independence" — was delivered at the house Democratic caucus on the eve of the opening session tomorrow of the 78th congress.

Some of those who heard him said that Rayburn served blunt notice that he would prevent legislation from being laid upon his desk by "bureaucrats" unless they first conferred and gained the cooperation of the leadership and the "proper committees."

Rayburn was quoted as saying that "department heads may come and go, but congress will live on long after their departure." — That the department heads are not elected officials and do not represent the people, as do members of the house and senate.

He was reported to have said that, unlike the "bureaucrats," President Roosevelt made a practice of consulting congressional leaders weekly on all legislation he is seeking.

To illustrate his point, he said that the chief executive planned another conference with the house and senate leaders before delivering his state of the union report to a joint congressional session Thursday.

Effort To Evade Friction
The speaker's conference statement was interpreted in some quarters on capitol hill as evidence that he planned to take the initiative in holding together the reduced Democratic majority by eliminating friction which has developed among some of its members over policies of some administration departments and bureaus.

All-Out War Effort
The 78th congress, which may help determine the course of world history for countless years to come, convenes tomorrow with all factions pledged to an all-out war effort but sharply divided on domestic issues.

Preliminaries were cleared away today. In a pre-session caucus, Democrats unanimously nominated Sam Rayburn of Texas for another term as speaker of the house, and reelected John W. McCormack of Massachusetts as their floor leader.

The house Republicans conference nominated Joseph W. Martin Jr., of Massachusetts as their candidate for speaker, but Rayburn's reelection was deemed virtually a foregone conclusion, because the Democrats still held a 14-vote majority, 222 house seats to 208 for the Republicans.

For Holiday On Politics
Democrats and Republicans alike called for a holiday on politics in dealing with legislation necessary to win the war.

The Democrats emerged from their caucus jubilant over a show of harmony, one member describing it as "a very happy, harmonious caucus; there was no trouble at all, and we are going to win the 1944 elections."

Martin, former chairman of the Republican national committee and house minority leader in the 77th congress, issued a statement outlining a platform for house Republicans in the new congress. Principally it called for:

Preservation of constitutional government; discarding of partisan politics in the war effort; no "special privileges" for any group; restoration of "the prerogatives of the congress;" curbing of "the reckless granting of blanket powers and blank checks;" elimination of unnecessary bureaus; revision of the tax system to embrace the "pay-as-we-go" principle.

President Roosevelt personally will present the administration's program in his state of the union report to a joint session of the house and senate Thursday. Robert Sherwood, playwright who is now an official of the Office of War Information, is helping the President prepare the address.

The White House said today the President would confer with congressional leaders before delivering his address. A number of influential capitol hill Democrats already had indicated they would urge the President to omit Social Security revision or expansion from his legislative program, to avert what they said might be an "unnecessary fight that might disrupt the entire congressional program."

Mr. Roosevelt gave newsmen no indication what subjects his speech might embrace, but it was

deemed likely he would deal with problems of the peace that might come during the life of this congress.

Delay Budget Message

The President's budget message, originally scheduled for Friday, will be presented Monday instead. President Roosevelt said mechanical difficulties had arisen in the printing of statistical tables.

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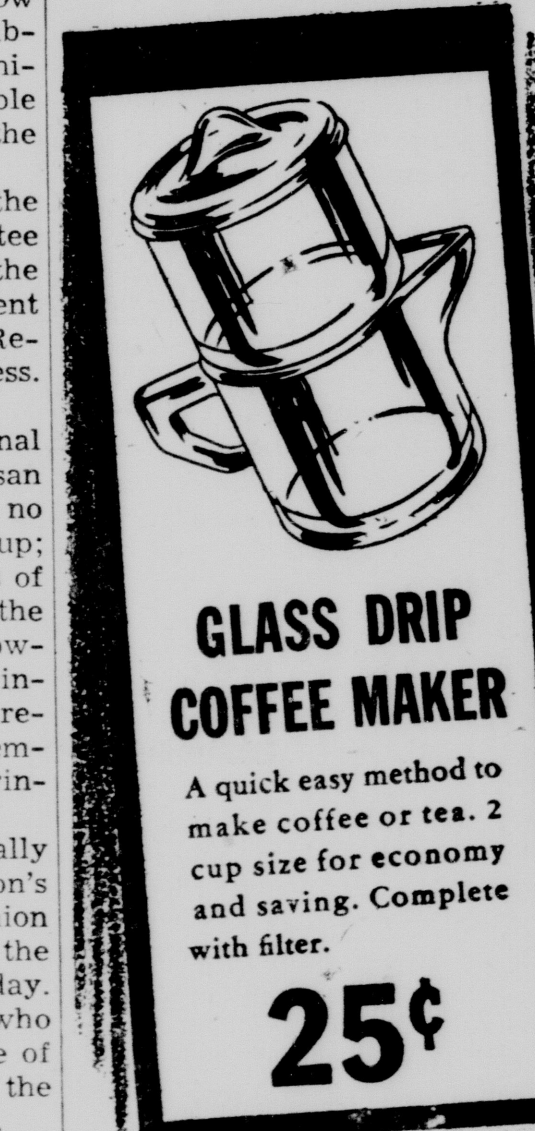
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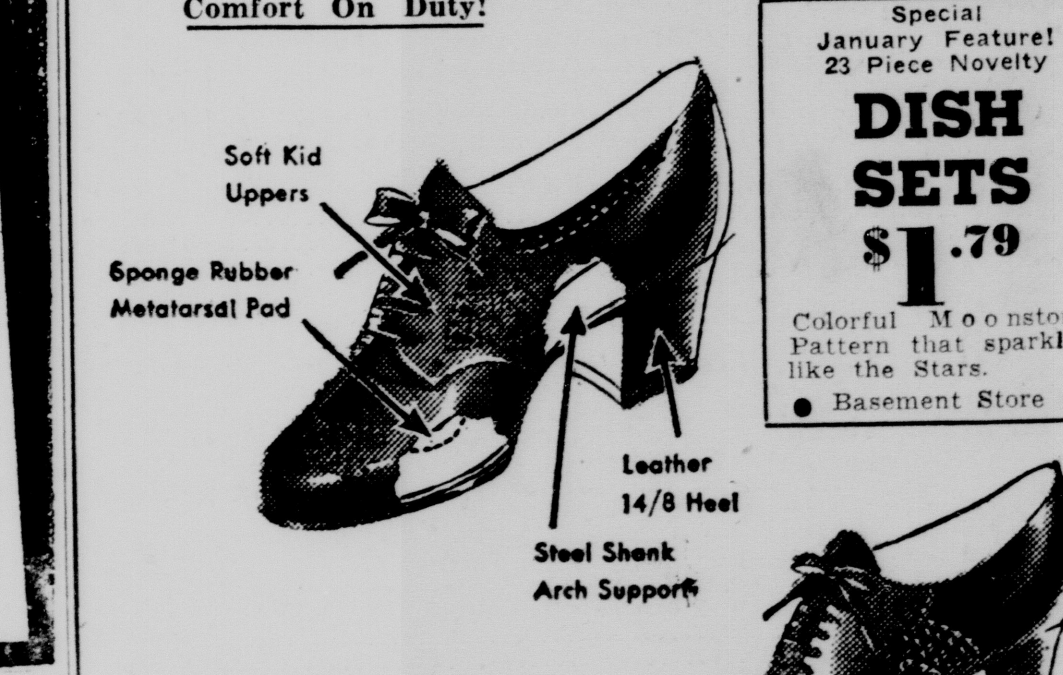
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